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## OSCAR STRAUS IS NOMINEE

WILL BE STANDARD BEARER FOR PROGRESSIVES IN NEW YORK STATE.

## STAMPEDE OF CONVENTION

While Others Were Being Considered "Suspend Jack" McGee Turns the Trick for Former Minister.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Oscar S. Straus, former secretary of commerce and labor in the cabinet of President Roosevelt, was unanimously acclaimed the nominee for governor by the progressive party in a stampede convention here this afternoon under circumstances not only unexpected, but dramatic.

The former cabinet member, acting as the convention's permanent chairman, was about to entertain a motion from former Lieutenant Governor Timothy L. Woodruff, to expedite the roll call on the nominations of State Chairman William H. Hotchkiss and Comptroller William A. Frenders, of New York for governor, when a delegate from New York county leaped to his chair and demanded to be heard.

"It's 'suspend Jack' McGee," cried a voice from the gallery. Chairman Straus looked puzzled. McGee, who got his name in the Indian country by riding a bronco into camp with suspenders used as reins, moved resolutely toward the platform.

"They say I'm crazy, but I know what I am doing," he cried, as he swung up the platform steps. McGee, a flaming bandana around his neck, and his coat blazing with badges, tossed his rough rider hat on the floor and demanded the right to make a nomination.

"Whom do you wish to nominate?" asked Chairman Straus, but McGee gave only a meaningless shake of his head. Delegates cried, "Put him out!" but McGee stuck to his purpose.

Delegates and spectators booed and jeered as McGee began to talk. There was a general laugh when he cried: "I'll name a man, the mention of whose name will bring tears of sympathy to the eyes of almost every man and woman in the civilized land."

"Suspend Jack" only waved his arm in defiance of the jeers. He paused a moment and then cried:

"I nominate the illustrious and honorable Oscar S. Straus."

The delegates seemed stunned, then a few of them cheered. McGee kept on with his speech and the first few faint cheers from the half dozen or more delegates gradually grew into a pandemonium that swept the convention hall. Standards were wrenched from their supports and delegates, yelling and cheering for Chairman Straus, raised the aisles, turning the convention into a bedlam.

It is Made Unanimous. Chairman Straus at first shook his head deprecatingly. He turned to friends and remarked:

"This must not be. I cannot accept."

Chairman Hotchkiss rushed to the platform. Placing his hands on Mr. Straus' shoulders, he said:

"You must accept, you must accept; all the delegates are for you!"

Scores of delegates pressed forward to urge Mr. Straus to make the decision. Then Mr. Hotchkiss broke from the group that surrounded Mr. Straus and held up before the crush of excited delegates a sheet of yellow paper upon which was written:

"He accepts!"

Quickly the word was passed back through the hall and another demonstration followed.

Chairman Hotchkiss was allowed to act as chairman in place of Mr. Straus. The nomination of Mr. Hotchkiss for governor was withdrawn by John A. Kingsbury and Timothy Woodruff withdrew the name of Mr. Frenders. Then came a flood of speeches seconding the nomination of the former minister to Turkey.

"Suspend Jack" McGee was not lost sight of. Delegates pressed about him and proclaimed him the "man of the hour."

Later the convention passed a vote of thanks to Delegate McGee of the Fifteenth assembly district for nominating Mr. Straus.

When the convention had recovered and Mr. Straus had been chosen unanimously he was called upon for a speech and tendered an ovation as he formally accepted the nomination.

"The cause we are in is a cause of inspiration," he said in his speech. "I must accept."

**MORE CAVALRY TO BORDER.** Rebels Are Near the Line and Threaten to Come Across.

El Paso, Sept. 6.—In view of the critical condition at Hachita, General Steever tonight dispatched an additional troop of the third cavalry to that point. A portion of the signal corps which will arrive here tomorrow from Fort Russell, Wyoming, also will be sent.

Additional information is that 200 rebels are encamped half a mile from the line with avowed intentions of making another raid into the United States. There are only five troops of United States cavalry on duty on the New Mexico border, three of these in the vicinity of Hachita.

## WALDO ORDERS WINK AT VICE

DEPOSED INSPECTOR ASSERTS THE DEPARTMENT HEAD HELD HIM BACK.

## NO RAIDS TO BE MADE

Where There Was Outward Appearance of Decency the Commissioner Would Not Allow Arrests.

New York, Sept. 6.—Whether Police Commissioner Waldo gave "bongal instructions" to "express disorderly houses and private verbal orders to allow them to run as long as conditions of 'outward' decency were observed, became the question at issue today when C. G. Hayes, suspended inspector, was placed on trial before Deputy Police Commissioner Douglas I. McKay on the charge of making a false statement in regard to his police duties.

While Hayes was ostensibly the defendant, Thomas D. Thatcher, counsel, virtually transformed the trial into a probe of the police department and an arraignment of the police, including Mayor Gaynor, toward the regulation of vice.

The district attorney grilled Waldo in an effort to show that "outward decency" was the criterion by which the mayor wished the question of vice suppression to be determined.

Hayes emphatically denied that he had made a false statement when he told the commissioner that the latter had ordered him not to make raids on disorderly houses, except on the commissioner's instructions.

In accordance with these instructions, he had made no raids, he said, since February, although previously he had made many and had "cleaned out" one inspection district.

**Waldo Makes Threat Good** It was on August 5, or about the time when the scandals growing out of the Rosenthal case were being aired that Commissioner Waldo, according to the witness, threatened to "fire him" for stating that he had received such orders. This he threatened to do on two subsequent occasions.

Hayes testified, but it was not until August 15, the day after the publication of an interview from "an inspector" who was quoted as saying he had received such orders from the commissioner, that Waldo made good his alleged threats by suspending him and reducing him to a captain's rank.

Hayes mentioned two or three conversations he had with Mr. Waldo in regard to suppressing disorderly houses.

"Do you remember a conversation you had with Waldo on September 5?" asked Mr. Thatcher.

"I do. I met him at the West Forty-seventh street station, the appointment having been made over the telephone. I made a tour of my district with him. As we passed a dance hall the commissioner said to me, 'there is a dance hall downstairs and a house for prostitution upstairs. If there is no outside disorder it is well to have them in such a place rather than on the outside.'"

Mr. Thatcher handed Captain Hayes a list of disorderly houses raided by him.

"In these cases where arrests were made, did you act in accordance with orders from Mr. Waldo?"

"I did not. I made these arrests on complaint of respectable citizens. They were all in apartment houses up until last February."

"On February 15 last Commissioner Waldo sent for me," Hayes continued. "The commissioner said, 'I thought you were keeping an eye on disorderly houses.' I said I was. Mr. Waldo said, 'I have been told by a newspaper man the raids you made were for the purpose of graft. Keep your men out of disorderly houses and in future if you get a letter or complaint bring it to me before you make the raid and make raids only on my approval.'"

The witness described his conversation with Waldo on August 8 as follows:

**Waldo Threatens to Bust Him.** "When I came into the commissioner's presence he said, 'Hayes, what are you doing about the disorderly houses in your district?' I replied 'Nothing.' 'Why?' he asked. 'Because you told me not to.' I replied, 'I'll fire you right now if you say that,' said the commissioner, making a threatening motion with his hands."

"Did he fire you?"

"Not that day," replied the witness.

On August 15 the commissioner sent him a letter ordering him to suppress disorderly houses in his district which he said was the first letter of this kind he had received from the commissioner.

Every material statement made by Hayes, each previously put in the form of a question by Mr. Thatcher, was denied by Mr. Waldo who preceded the police officer on the stand.

"I never gave Hayes any orders other than general instructions to observe peace and good order and enforce the laws," Mr. Waldo said.

The trial will go on tomorrow, when Hayes will be cross-examined. There was much speculation as to whether Hayes, taking the stand, would "make good" any of the statements attributed to him, notably that he would reveal departmental secrets embarrassing the city.

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## WILSON CHANGES ATTITUDE

ONCE OPPOSED SENATOR SMITH, NOW TO STUMP FOR HIM.

## Governor Can't Even Have Hair Cut Without Curious Crowds Gather to Watch Him.

Seagirt, N. J., Sept. 6.—Governor Woodrow Wilson spent a quiet day today. It was much intimated tonight that he would take part in the senatorial fight in New Jersey in which Former United States Senator James Smith, Jr., is again a candidate. Two years ago he spoke throughout the state in opposition to Mr. Smith.

Judge John E. Westcott, who nominated Mr. Wilson at the Baltimore convention, and is now a candidate for United States senator, called today at the summer capital. Governor Wilson declared tonight that he understood Judge Westcott would remain in the senatorial fight. Similar word came from Representative William Hughes and State Senator Gebhardt, who also are candidates for United States senator.

The presidential nominee will meet National Chairman William F. McCombs in New York City Monday for the first time since the latter went to the Adirondacks to recuperate from his illness.

In the evening he will speak before the New York press club. On Tuesday he will review a parade and speak at the encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans, at Atlantic City. On Wednesday he will address the Hudson county democrats at Jersey City. On Thursday, the twelfth, he will speak at the New York state fair at Syracuse.

He plans to return to Seagirt on Friday, September 13, and rest until Sunday, when he will begin his trip to Sioux City, Iowa, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Columbus and Pittsburgh. He will be in Cleveland, Ohio, on October 1.

With the coming cold weather, fewer seashore folk have been coming to the summer capital and as a consequence the governor thought today that the back porch would not be a conspicuous spot to have his hair cut. While Sam Gordon, his negro attendant, was clipping away, however, a crowd began to gather. They sat on the rail fence and the governor's secretary came to his rescue and dispersed the curiosity seekers.

**PROGRESSIVES BARRED** ELECTORAL CANDIDATES DENIED PLACE ON TICKET.

Only Hope to Applicants Lies in Supreme Court, to Which Case Has Been Appealed.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 6.—No progressive electoral candidates will have their names placed upon the general election tickets in Oklahoma, according to a decision rendered tonight by Judge Edwards B. Gidney of the superior court of Oklahoma county. The decision with the district court, and the appeal lies in the supreme court.

The question was the result of three efforts made by the progressives of Oklahoma to have their names placed on the general election ballots.

The ten applicants who were today denied a right to place their names on the general election tickets filed as non-partisans. Several, it is said, were members of the bull moose convention in Chicago.

They offered a motion for a new trial, immediately after being denied the writ, which was overruled; thereupon they gave notice of an appeal to the supreme court. The attorney general questioned their non-partisanship, stating that the same names had been presented to the state election board as being candidates for the electoral college, and that the names were presented by A. L. McDonald, chairman of the progressive state central committee of Oklahoma.

**SNOWDEN DIES.** Philadelphia, Sept. 6.—Col. A. L. Snowden, former minister to Spain, Greece and Balkan states, died at his home in Bryn Mawr early this morning. Col. Snowden was at one time superintendent of the mint here, postmaster at Philadelphia and for many years prominent in city, state and national affairs. He was born in Carlisle, Pa., August 11, 1837.

## BIG SUMS FOR THE FARM WORK

\$181,000 A YEAR IS ASKED FOR TEXAS EXPERIMENT STATIONS.

## INCREASE OF \$129,000

Director Youngblood Submits Estimates Which Are Indorsed by the Farmers and Stock Raisers.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—From Director B. Youngblood, of the Texas Agricultural Experiment stations, comes a request to the Thirty-third legislature to allow that branch of the state work \$181,000 a year for the next two fiscal years, an increase of \$129,000 a year over the appropriation of the last legislature, which was \$52,000 a year. It is one of the largest increases yet requested by one branch of the government and is decidedly greater in percentage of increase than anything yet asked.

**Ample Sums Requested.** The last legislature allowed \$50,000 a year for maintenance and support of ten experiment stations at \$5,000 each and \$2,000 a year for publication of bulletins and reports. The new estimate calls for \$75,000 for maintenance and support of the ten stations or \$7,500 each.

In addition there is asked \$25,000 a year for establishment and maintenance of a Brownsville experiment station, which the federal government proposes to turn over to the state and which Director Youngblood values at \$400,000. There is asked \$7,500 for the Nacogdoches tobacco station.

**For A. & M. Work.** For co-operative feeding and breeding experiments at the A. & M. College feeding and breeding station, \$22,000 is asked; for sheep breeding work, \$2,000; for dairying investigations, \$10,000; for poultry investigations, \$5,000; a total of \$22,000 for the A. & M. breeding and feeding station.

In addition to these amounts requested for the main station at A. & M. College, \$5,000 for printing bulletins and circulars; \$2,500 a year for experimental entomologists at \$1,000 each; \$2,500 for bee keeping investigations, \$2,000 for boll weevil experiments, \$2,000 for truck insect investigation and \$2,000 for fruit insect investigation—a total of \$15,000.

For the main experiment station farm there is asked \$10,000 a year for salaries, maintenance, and buildings; \$45,000 a year for division of veterinary sciences, barns, pens, maintenance and Texas Fever studies; \$5,000 for soil investigations in the division of chemistry; \$5,000 to supplement \$5,000 of federal government co-operative money; in the division of farm management, \$5,000 for co-operative agricultural investigations and \$5,000 for plant disease work in the division of plant pathology, making a total of \$35,000.

Director Youngblood in connection with these large increases writes that the figures were made up by a representative committee composed of three members each of the following associations in the state, including the Texas Farmers' congress, the Texas Cattle Raisers' association and allied organizations. He says further that part of these appropriations should come to the disposal of the governing board of the experiment stations.

This request for such a large increase in appropriations is perhaps a forerunner of the fight that may be made in the next legislature to have the department of agriculture removed from the state capitol here to the A. & M. College.

**LOCAL TEMPERATURES.** Daily temperatures, furnished by Dr. Block, voluntary weather observer, for twenty-four hours ending Friday at 7 p. m.: Minimum 70, maximum 100. Barometer reading, 30.98.

**Government Readings.** Washington, Sept. 6.—Weather forecast: East Texas—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds.

West Texas and Oklahoma—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

Louisiana—Probably fair in interior, showers on coast Saturday; Sunday fair, light variable winds.

## RELIEF SENT AMERICANS

GOVERNOR OF SONORA RUSHES TROOPS TO WHIP REBELS.

## President of American Mining Company Threatens to Take Situation Into His Own Hands.

Mexico City, Sept. 6.—Governor Maytorena of Sonora has advised the government here that he has ordered a detachment of troops to the relief of Nacozari, where the lives of a number of Americans have been endangered by attacks from rebel bands.

Walter Douglas, president of the Nacozari Mining company, telegraphed Governor Maytorena, advising him that if the Mexican government was unable to afford relief to the Americans at Nacozari his company would take such steps as it might see fit to protect the Americans there.

The minister of the interior made public the reply of Maytorena to Douglas. He said he had ordered a relief column to leave Culiacan, which is the nearest place to Nacozari, and proceed by forced marches and shall endeavor to have forces go from other points.

The governor declared the fact that the little garrison at Nacozari had been able to hold out 30 hours is proof that it can continue to do so until relief arrives and that if the defenders are short of ammunition, "it is logical to assume that the attackers likewise are short."

**CONDITIONS IMPROVED.** American Interests Said to Be Safer. Federals Are Killed.

Washington, Sept. 6.—So rapidly do conditions change in Mexico that just as Ambassador Wilson, under instructions from the state department, based on appeals from plantation and mining interests, was making a strong demand upon the Mexican government for additional forces in northern Mexico to protect American interests, the state department agents in the latter quarter are reporting a considerable improvement in conditions.

Nacozari, a point on the railroad about a hundred miles south of Douglas, Ariz., has been regarded as the danger spot so far as foreigners are concerned, for the last three days. Reports to the state department late today appear to remove any reasonable ground for apprehension. Telegraphic communication between Nacozari and Douglas has been restored. Conditions at Monterrey are reported satisfactory.

Discouraging news comes from the south of Mexico, however, where the wandering rebel bands become bolder in their operations, the entire federal garrison at Ajuna having been massacred by the rebels last Wednesday.

There is a temporary shortage of infantry in the department of Texas, and Gen. Wood was obliged to tell Gen. Steever today, in answer to his appeal for more infantry at El Paso, that he would have to accept cavalry instead.

The war department today decided to honor the requisition of the state department for small arms for American citizens on the south side of the border, and 400 rifles will be sent from the Rock Island, Ill., arsenal to American consuls for distribution.

**AMERICAN SOIL INVADED.** Mexican Again Guilty of This Offense. Increase Patrol.

El Paso, Sept. 6.—Entrance of Mexican rebels into the United States and the subsequent engagement with United States troops below Hachita, N. M., as reported today to Gen. E. Z. Steever at Fort Bliss, Texas, marks the sixth invasion of American soil in the last few weeks.

It is probable that the border patrol along the Sonora line will be strengthened, say officials at Fort Bliss, from where Gen. Steever commands the department of Texas, as well as the Arizona and New Mexico border adjacent.

At present there are only three troops of the Third cavalry near Hachita, where a number of invasions by rebels have occurred recently.

**62 NARROWLY ESCAPE.** New York, Sept. 6.—Sixty-two persons, 48 of whom were children, were saved from death in a row of burning tenements in DeGraw street, Brooklyn, early today by four policemen. All of the sixty-two had been overcome by smoke and were carried half-conscious to the street. The principal loser in the fire was the International Provisions company, whose four-story packing house was also swept by the flames and damaged to the extent of about \$150,000.

## T. R. ON GREAT WESTERN SWING

ADDRESSES NORTH DAKOTANS AND IS THEN WHIRLED TO MONTANA.

## VOTERS IN TWO CLASSES

Teddy Says They Must Be Opposed to Him or For Him—Warns Those Against His Party.

Jamestown, N. D., Sept. 6.—The voters of the country were divided into two classes by Col. Roosevelt in his speeches today, those with and those against the progressive party. Col. Roosevelt criticized Woodrow Wilson for his stand in regard to the progressive proposal for an interstate industrial commission to regulate large corporations.

He was whirled across North Dakota by special train, made half a dozen speeches, and tonight was on his way to Montana. He stopped for an hour in Grand Forks this morning, put in most of the afternoon in Fargo, and tonight made a brief address at Jamestown. He reminded his hearers that he was a citizen of North Dakota in former years, and had come back to speak for the party "which is trying to put into effect the principles that were ground into me here."

In Fargo the progressive state convention was in session and the delegation went to a park to hear him. Later he made an address in the convention hall.

In his address at the park he likened conditions to those of 1864, when a third ticket against Lincoln was proposed. Then he said:

"If a man is not with us, he is against us, and if he is against us, he is siding with the reactionaries. No matter how well meaning he may be, no matter how sincerely he may think he is a progressive, he is the ally of Wall street, the ally of privilege, the ally of bossism in politics, unless he heartily and in good faith supports the progressive party."

"This is not a question of personalities. The principles of the progressives have been embodied in their platform. The only way to support these principles and the platform is to support the men who are nominees of the progressive party."

**MOOSES WIN IN KANSAS.** Injunction Against Names on the Ticket Is Refused.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 6.—The Roosevelt presidential electors won another round in the legal battle to get them off the republican ticket in Kansas today.

Judge W. H. Sanborn of the United States circuit court of appeals denied the injunction asked by the supporters of President Taft's candidacy to prohibit the names of the eight Roosevelt electors being placed on the republican ballot in the general election in November. The case was argued Monday in Denver and the written decision by Judge Sanborn was received by Morton Albright, clerk of the United States circuit court here today.

Judge Sanborn in his opinion said that application for the injunction could not be granted because under a decision of the supreme court the threatened wrongful deprivation of a citizen of his rights to vote under the constitution of the United States by election officials or others presents no cause of action in equity for an injunction to prevent it. The remedy is at law and not by an injunction in equity. The case will be appealed.

**RUFUS C. WEISS IS SHOT.** Ill Feeling at Hubbard City Ends in a Tragedy.

Hubbard City, Tex., Sept. 6.—About noon today Rufus C. Weiss, aged about 25, was shot and almost instantly killed near his home, about four miles north of this place. Jim Roberts, a neighbor, phoned to Sheriff Jim Froeland at Hillsboro and surrendered to him and was taken to Hillsboro this afternoon.

Weiss had just returned from Malone and had been to water his team, while Roberts was returning from Hubbard. The two met almost in front of Roberts' home and the shooting occurred. There had been ill feeling between the men for some months. An automatic pistol was used, several of the shots entering the body. Weiss is said to have been unarmed.

**ORVILLE WRIGHT AT CHICAGO.** Chicago, Sept. 6.—Orville Wright, inventor of the aeroplane and dean of air pilots, today joined the dignitaries in the aviation world gathered at Chicago for the forthcoming aviation events of the Aero Club of Illinois. He visited the Clarendon Aero club, the Cicero flying field and the Clarendon Beach station of the club.

**THE ARMY AVIATORS.** Washington, Sept. 6.—United States army aviators, after participating for the first time in real military maneuvers in the recent Connecticut maneuvers, have returned to the government station at College Park, Md., determined to awaken further interest of the general staff and the army in general in military aviation.

## IF COLONEL HAD BEEN PRESIDENT

MEXICO WOULD NOW BELONG TO THE UNITED STATES, SAYS DR. BROOKS.

## LIKES TAFT'S PATIENCE

Believes His Policy Is Best for Nation and an Impetus to International Peace Movement.

In his address on "The International Peace Movement" before the McLenahan County teachers' institute yesterday morning, Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor University, took occasion to endorse the foreign policy of President Taft and to portray the United States-Mexico situation had Theodore Roosevelt been president the past two years. Dr. Brooks made it plain that he was no supporter of Taft, but he expressed his admiration of the chief executive's statesmanlike dealing with other countries, especially with Mexico.

**Mexico Would Have Been Ours.** "If Roosevelt had been president when the annoying times on the border began, he would have shamed 100,000 American soldiers into Mexico, made a clean sweep of the republic, and he himself, like a conquering hero, probably would have rode triumphantly into the City of Mexico," declared Dr. Brooks.

"President Taft has exercised more judgment than Roosevelt would have done. He has been patient, content to protect the border and give Mexico an opportunity to settle her own troubles. By such a policy he serves his country far better than had he acted on the impulse of the moment, responded to the cry of war and invaded Mexico."

"I have no doubt but that, if Taft should send 100,000 soldiers into Mexico and conquer that country by November, he would win a sweeping victory at the election. However, he is willing to sacrifice personal honor for the sake of peace."

**How the Courts Started.** Dr. Brooks went back to the origin of the courts, traced their progress down to the present day, and then showed how nations may eventually come to settle their disputes as individuals now settle such matters in the courts.

"The first court grew out of a system of community arbitration," said Dr. Brooks. "It has been a long time since such procedure took place, and through the years that have come and gone the tribunal has undergone wonderful revolutions. We will suppose that the need for some sort of arbitration resulted in a dispute between Brown and Smith, two farmers. They were both conservatives, willing to bring about an amicable agreement. They cast about for a means to do this, and finally decided to leave the whole matter up to Jones, their neighbor, and the latter handed down a decision. This ends the disagreement. Finally Jones wins a reputation as an arbitrator, and is called upon to settle many cases. He says he hasn't the time to devote to such matters and attend to his farming. The people create an office, elect him to fill it and pay him a salary. Soon another citizen of the community comes to believe that Jones has had the office long enough and that he will run for it. An election is called and the race decided. In those early days the judge probably was seated on a split log when he heard cases, and that is doubtless the origin of our present term 'bench,' now a much more elaborate affair than the rude log bench used by our forefathers."

"If personal arbitration through courts have been successful, why cannot nations likewise settle their disputes? And the world is coming to look at the matter in that light. Differences have been settled in the past few years that a hundred years ago would have caused war."

**Work of the Hague.** "In 1893 The Hague was established, and since that time the tribunal has settled 196 highly important cases and 154 more of minor importance. For three years after its establishment it was idle, not having a single case to arbitrate, and the newspapers of the country laughed it to scorn. The United States supreme court, now the most distinguished on the face of the earth, was established two years before it had a case."

**No Frowning Guns on Lakes.** As another step in the progress of the peace movement, Dr. Brooks pointed to the treaty of 1817, in which United States and Great Britain agreed that no warships should ride the Great Lakes. "How different the situation is to what it would have been if we had placed guns at Detroit to point at Canada, and Canada had had guns frowning down upon us," added Dr. Brooks. The agreement between the two countries that no guns should be kept on the line from the Atlantic to the Pacific, a distance of 3000 miles, has also proved a mighty peace factor, the speaker pointed out. He mentioned the fact that when the world's fair was held at Chicago, no warship was permitted to be there.

Dr. Brooks told how banquets play a no insignificant part in bringing

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...not peace between nations. For instance, he related, if the United States and England had a dispute that was sufficient cause of war, President Taft sends an ambassador to the king bearing a friendly note, asking for arbitration. The king greets the ambassador, expresses his dislike for the United States, but is favorably impressed with the friendly note. London business men, perhaps, are opposed to a war, and they hold a banquet, having as the honor guests English lawmakers and the American diplomats. The American, praising His Majesty, the loveliness of the queen and the fair policies of England. The Englishmen then tell of what a wonderful nation the United States is and avow their lasting friendliness to the Americans. The flattery makes both sides feel good; they get out from the influence of their passion of anger, and the difference is settled. Dr. Brooks defended the worldwide peace treaty of President Taft and asserted that the senate did an unwise thing to turn it down.

**Public Sentiment Crystallizing.**  
"For many years we have lived in peace with other nations. Why not say that we will fight no more, but arbitrate our differences?" asked Dr. Brooks. "I believe that the time is coming when all civilized nations will settle their troubles by arbitration just as individuals submit their differences to the courts. This will be brought about by public sentiment. I look to see such sentiment so lofty that, when a nation refuses arbitra-

tion and resorts to war instead, that nation will be ostracized and thrust back."

Dr. Brooks concluded his address by urging the teachers to impress upon their pupils that the nation's flag is not a symbol of war, but a symbol of peace; to teach them that, while it is heroic to march under that flag to the battlefield when the occasion demands it, it is also heroic to work.

### HAVE CORRECT ADDRESS.

**Mail Clerks Will Not Have Time to Look Up Addresses.**  
Unless you want to risk the chance of having your mail delayed two or three days, you must put the city address on local correspondence you send out, and have all of your correspondents write the correct street number or "general delivery" on your mail.

That is the warning issued yesterday afternoon by Postmaster Hoffmann, who emphatically declared that on Sunday and Monday no addresses will be searched for. Letters not bearing the full address of the persons to whom they are directed will be sidetracked until time is found to run through the directory in an effort to place the mail properly. This action will be necessary because of the "idle Sunday," on which scarcely any mail is permitted to be worked, and the congestion that follows on Monday. So, rushed will the entire force be that none of the number will have a moment to spare to look up any addresses.

Postmaster Hoffmann says it is against the postal regulations to search out such directions, and when it is done it is merely due to courtesy on the part of the office force.

The new postal law, minimizing the work on Sunday to almost nil, will be worked out in Waco tomorrow.

It is not expected that the Waco banks will suffer inconvenience from the new law. Few of them open their mails on Sunday, according to statements from several of the bank officials yesterday.

### TO ELECT A SECRETARY.

Chief of Police Hollis Barron of this city, who is president of the Chiefs of Police Association, has called a meeting of the executive committee to be held in this city September 11, to elect a secretary for the association.

Soon after the association was organized, Martin T. Forrest, who had for years been connected with the police department of Houston, was made secretary, and later he was made secretary for life. He has recently died, and there is a vacancy on that account. Martin Forrest was one of the best liked men in the state.

News Want Ads bring results.

### GIVES PARK TO THE CITY

**STREET CAR PEOPLE PRESENT WARBURTON BY DEED.**

**Pretty Strip of Land on Eighteenth Street Between Jefferson and Sanger Avenue.**

Warburton Park, the strip of grass grown land, twenty-six feet wide and 757 feet long, lying between Jefferson street and Sanger avenue on Eighteenth street, which was formerly owned by the city, is now the property of the municipality of Waco, by reason of a deed of gift, executed by the Southern Traction company, and presented yesterday by the attorneys for the company.

While the commission was in session yesterday morning, there came into the chamber Hon. T. B. Williams of Dallas, general attorney for J. F. Strickland, the president of the Southern Traction company and the Texas Power and Light company and Allan D. Sandford, local attorney for the same companies. Mr. Sandford was spokesman. He said: "Mr. Mayor and Commissioners: In the name of the Southern Traction company, I wish to present the city of Waco with a deed to Warburton Park. This deed was executed May 1 in the name of the Waco Street Railway company, which company then owned the street railway here and owned that strip of land. The Southern Traction company is the successor. It was not presented before because we did not want it to appear that we were offering blandishments before we were granted the rights that the city saw fit to allow in the franchise ordinance recently passed. You know the legislature a few years ago passed a law against blandishments."

Mayor Mackey—Are there any conditions?

Mr. Sandford—None.

Some one asked whether the city already had title to the property. Mr. Littlefield said he did not want to look a gift horse in the mouth. He moved that the deed be accepted and that the thanks of the city be extended for the liberality shown. The motion was adopted.

It is a very pretty park. There are benches there for those who wait for the cars; at the corner of Eighteenth and Fort street there is a small "summer house"; there are trees and shrubs and grass, and the roadway runs to the east of it and the street railway track to the west of

it. It lies directly in front of the residence of Col. A. R. McCollum. The women of the neighborhood are entitled to the credit for reclaiming it, and the street railway company has allowed it to become prettier from time to time as the work of the good women has been done to make it more beautiful.

### Deaths and Burials

#### GUSTAVE SACHS.

Gustave Sachs, manager and buyer of the ladies' ready-to-wear department of Sanger Brothers, died in New York Thursday night, after an illness of about three weeks. This news was conveyed in a message received yesterday morning by Mrs. J. S. Cohen, mother-in-law of Mr. Sachs, from her husband, who was at the deathbed.

Mr. Sachs went to New York July 1 to make purchases for Sanger Brothers, and had practically completed his buying when he was stricken ill. He underwent an operation from which he never recovered. He is survived by his wife, who was with him at the time of death; one son, who is in Waco; his parents, six brothers and one sister, who reside in Furth, Germany, and one brother whose home is in New York.

Mr. Sachs came to Waco three years

ago and accepted a position with Sanger Brothers. Prior to locating here he lived in St. Louis, to which city he moved from Boston. He was born in Bavaria, Germany July 17, 1858. He was a member of the Waco lodge of Elks.

#### F. L. LOCKWOOD.

Death claimed F. L. Lockwood, aged 57, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Funeral services to be held at 10 o'clock this morning, at the residence of the decedent's stepdaughter, Mrs. George Haisell, 1414 North Fifth street, will be conducted by Rev. F. J. Harrell, pastor of the Brook Avenue Baptist church. Typhoid fever was the cause of death.

Mr. Lockwood was one of the pioneer citizens of Waco, having lived here for nearly two score years, and for sometime before he was stricken ill he had been conducting a store on North Sixth street. He is survived by a wife, and two sons, Frank who is a resident of Waco, and Harry who is in the Philippines.

#### MRS. FRED THIELE.

The last sad rites over the mangled body of Mrs. Fred Thiele were held yesterday at Robinson. Mrs. Thiele was gored to death by a bull, and her body lay for hours in the pasture near her home before it was discovered by the husband and children, who were at work in the field. The flesh was horribly torn and blood-smear. Only a two-year-old child was near the scene of the tragedy, and its cries attracted the attention of members of the family in the field.

#### LIZZIE GOODE.

Funeral services of Lizzie Goode, the five-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Goode, took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at 2304 South Seventh street, the family residence. Interment was made at First street cemetery.

#### CRUSH CONVICT TROUBLE.

**Three Hundred National Guardsmen at the Michigan Pen.**

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 6.—Nearly 300 national guardsmen were still on duty at the state penitentiary tonight, although the convicts have caused no apparent trouble since Tuesday's riot.

Considerable comment has been aroused by the reported shooting today of John Miller, alleged to have been found near a dynamite magazine. Miller may die. Adjutant General Vandereck has ordered an investigation. Both Governor Bohn and Warden Simpson today issued statements denying that any convicts sustained severe injuries as the result of punishment inflicted.

#### ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

### HAVE A MURDER PACT ENTOMOLOGIST TO COME

**HUSBAND TO KILL WIFE AND WIFE HER HUSBAND.**

**That the Two Might Live Together. Awful Details of a Tragedy Told in a Confession.**

Shreveport, La., Sept. 6.—Their unconquerable passion, besides a joint desire to obtain the possession of her husband's property, led Mrs. C. C. Bailey, 27, and A. L. Watson, 45, to decree the death of Bailey, a Metcalf, La., logging contractor and saw mill operator and Mrs. Watson, 3 months ago, when they met and loved at Flannigan, Texas, according to the written confession of both, who are in jail here.

Watson, the confession says, carried out his part of the murder plot by poisoning his wife, and Mrs. Bailey, her confession says, tried to administer deadly drugs to her husband. The woman failed; Watson, who meantime had secured employment from Bailey, ordered her to leave Bailey; she obeyed and that night—Monday of the week—Bailey as he lay asleep, was brained with an axe. The coroner caused Watson's arrest. Testimony as to domestic infelicity between the Baileys because of the wife's social attitude toward Watson led to her arrest. Sternly questioned by Sheriff J. P. Flourney, she broke down and confessed, and Watson, confronted with her story, weakened, told conflicting stories and finally admitted all, incidentally bringing out the poisoning of Mrs. Watson, which story conforms to that Mrs. Bailey. Sheriff Flourney has the confession in writing.

"When I raised that axe to strike that sleeping man, I said to myself: 'This will send your son to hell. That's where I belong and the sooner I'm hanged the better I will be satisfied.'"

This is the statement of A. L. Watson, who last night in a written confession of the murder of C. C. Bailey at Metcalf, La., last Monday night, and who also confessed that as a result of a compact with Mrs. Bailey three months ago, he poisoned his own wife at Flannigan, Texas.

Mrs. Bailey, wife of the murdered man, and mistress of Watson, also confessed to the murder plot, and admitted that she attempted first to poison her husband with strychnine thought by Watson and that she urged him to brain her husband with an axe after her attempt at poisoning failed. Locked in separate cells in the Caddo parish jail, Watson and Mrs. Bailey

**WM. HARPER DEAN TO INSPECT THE TREES OF WACO.**

**Accepts invitation of the City to Offer Advice as to the Pest in the Parks.**

William Harper Dean, assistant state entomologist of Texas, with headquarters at the A. & M. College of Texas, will spend a day next week inspecting the trees of the parks of Waco.

The invitation to Wilmon Newell, state entomologist, to visit Waco or to send his assistant, was authorized by the city commission, the attack on the trees by a borer being reported to the commission several days ago by S. M. Taylor. In a letter yesterday to James Hays Quarles, Mr. Newell said:

"We will be glad to send Mr. Dean up to Waco for a day's time some time the coming week. Your complaint is general over nearly the entire state, trees being killed by borers almost everywhere. They are hard insects to deal with and usually involve so much work and pains in getting rid of them, that the average tree owner will not carry out instructions. However, we are willing to give you what help we can."

"If you wish Mr. Dean to visit Waco, would suggest you let me know, as soon as possible and also upon what day next week you would prefer to have him there."

Very truly yours,

"WILMON NEWELL,"

Mr. Dean, who is to come to look at the trees, upon some date to be fixed by the mayor and commissioners, is one of the most thorough entomologists of the country. He is a native of Virginia, was educated in that state, and has been official entomologist in Virginia, Georgia and Louisiana. He is well qualified to advise the city what is to be done.

today seemed to show little concern over their plight.

Watson, aged 45, has three daughters, one married and living at Jefferson, Texas.

Mrs. Bailey has two children, aged five and two years, now living with her parents at Myrtle, La. Mrs. Bailey is 27 years old. She married Bailey six years ago.

August electric, power and gas bills must be paid on or before the 10th in order to receive the discount.

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### LIQUOR LICENSE FORFEITED.

Santone Fir the Looer—Other Dealers  
Watched.

Austin, Sept. 6.—The comptroller today forfeited the retail malt liquor license of Manuel De Leon of 325 South Pecos street, San Antonio. The complaint being that he violated the Sunday law. It is understood that several other San Antonio liquor dealers are also under surveillance. The comptroller recently sent out a big lot of commissions to notaries that they might take testimony where liquor dealers are charged with having violated the law.

### ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE

(Adv.)

### SENT TOO MUCH MONEY.

Remittance on School Land Bids  
Amount to \$34,000.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—Excess remittances on school land bids—land which came on the market August 4, amounted to \$34,000. They were today returned to the unsuccessful bidders. This is the largest amount of the kind ever paid out following the opening of bids.

### ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE

(Adv.)

### \$7,000 FOR MASONRY.

Austin, Sept. 6.—State Inspector of Masonry J. B. Nitschke has filed an estimate asking for \$7,000 for the next two years, against the last appropriation of \$4,177 and \$1,500. The salary of the inspector is \$2,000 a year, while \$1,510 a year is asked for material tests and traveling expenses and \$100 a year for contingent expenses.

Mrs. J. W. Brightwell opens her piano class Sept. 9th. New phone 1427. 9-12

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## Current Events In Woman's Sphere

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KATE FRIEND, Editor

### MRS. PRINCE OF NEW YORK HAS SOCIAL COURTESY

In recognition of the first return to the old home since her marriage, Mrs. Marguerite Patten Prince of Ithaca, N. Y., was the center of a small circle out at the Huaco club on Thursday morning. This was a compliment from Miss Madeline White. The game of bowls whirled the time and the refreshment feature was also at the club. The occasion gave opportunity for a welcome home from the neighbors who had been the last to bid God speed to a happy young bride.

### THE ALLAN SANFORD HOME IS CLOSED WITH TODAY

There is leaving this morning Mrs. Allan Sanford to accompany her daughter, Miss Frances Van Boddie, to her school in the East. Mrs. Sanford also makes a visit in Chicago. Accompanying them is Miss Greta Williams, who has proved such a summer, toast and a delightful visitor. She returns home, Mrs. Charles Moore, a member of the household, preceded this departure. She writes of a charming sojourn with her sister, Mrs. Charles Badger, in Cleveland, Ohio. This means that the Sanford home will be closed for the next few weeks.

### STORY HOUR AT PLAYGROUND; CAMERON PARK THE SPOT

This morning through the courtesy of Miss Lota Pharr the library will hold its regular Saturday morning story hour in the children's playground at Cameron park. Miss Pharr will tell the following stories: "The Tongue Cut Sparrow," "The Tree That Talked" and the "Nightingale." A treat is in store for all who can be out at the park at 10 o'clock. Children who care to do so can go out with Miss Pharr, who will leave the library building at half after nine. At the playground a picture will be taken of the children to be used as an exhibit being prepared by the library for the "Child's Welfare Exhibit" at the Dallas fair.

Children are urged to be prompt this morning, so that none will miss one particle of the stories.

### OLEANDERS FOR INDOORS MADE A WINTER PLANT

Is this a practical thought for this climate? It comes from a young woman in Philadelphia. She writes: "Do you know that the oleander may be made to bloom in winter instead of in summer? I have three fine, large plants, which set outdoors from May until September. I make them rest during this time by withholding water. They only get enough to keep them from dying. In the fall I took them into the house and placed them in a moderately heated room, where there was plenty of heat and light. By January they were full of buds, and they bloomed all winter. I gave plenty of water while the plants were in the house, but only enough to keep them alive while they were on the porch. They were doubly beautiful blooms."

### MARY WEST CHAPTER.

The following is the program for the meeting of Mary West chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, September 10:

"Goodleth Day."  
Anniversary of organization U. D. C. Hymn, Lord God of Hosts Be With Us Yet, Let Us Forget, Let Us Forget—Kipling.  
Roll Call—Some woman who knows or have known who is an "Un-reconstructed Rebel." Some member of your chapter who went through the war.

Music, vocal—The Girl I Left Behind Me.

Reading—A Belle of the Sixties in Richmond—By Mrs. Valentine (in June number of Veteran)—Mrs. R. L. Abbott.

Music—Bonnie Blue Flag.

Address—Mrs. Caroline Meriwether.

Goodleth, Founder and First President—General U. D. C.—Mrs. J. W. Downs.

Music—Listen to the Mocking Bird.

Music—The Homespun Dress.

Paper—Review of things achieved by general organization and Texas divisions U. D. C. along lines benevolent, educational, historic, monumental and patriotic—Mrs. E. E. Lesing.

Go to Sleep, My Little Baby Boy—By Katie Duffan—Mrs. Will Kendall.

Hymn—God Be With You Till We Meet Again.

Benediction.

MRS. BEN C. GAILAND.

Historian Mary West Chapter, U. D. C.

### ALL THINGS COME TO HER WHO HAS WAITED

Whenever the subject of small parks is mentioned there comes the thought of how the few progressive women of the Sanger avenue neighborhood have led the van of park spirit. Before even the club women began park agitation these women, with the sense of aestheticism saw the possibility in a waste strip which had become an eyesore. The grass burs had made its bed, the sunflower had grown riot and the cockle burr was in its glory of possession. The women formed a little association for the reclamation of this spot. It was only the few. The many took no interest whatever. These few struggled and soon evolved the Bertha Scott park. One step followed another until a real

little neighborhood park was the delight to the eye. For some reason the request came that the name be changed to Warburton. This was done. All this while the street railway owned the spot. The women were given possession for five years only. They have possession no longer. The railway company has presented the park to the city and it has been accepted. This means that the women have reclaimed one of the most unsightly spots in all this city and so beautified it that it is now one of the chain of parks which is making Waco famous. The labor of love was tedious, at times discouraging, but all things come to those who wait, and these women are rewarded. Warburton park will now be kept up by the city park gardeners and will be more attractive than ever.

### MISS FRANCES VAN BODDIE HAS DANCE AT HUACO CLUB

It is seldom that a young woman, not yet introduced into society formally, bestows that thoughtful courtesy which was done by Miss Frances Van Boddie on Thursday. It was nearing the time for Miss Boddie's return to school in the East, and it was her desire to show appreciation for the many courtesies shown her during her vacation visit. Thus, first in her invitation for a dance she included those married friends who had added to the pleasure of her home visit. Then were selected the friends from the college set, those who made the most congenial company for the coming society devotees. This assembly was made at the Huaco club. Miss Boddie, with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Sanford, received in the hall of the first landing. The arrivals all made the scene was transferred to the ball room, where Alessandro had a choice program of dance music in waiting. The opening march was unusually graceful. This was in following to Miss Boddie and Lawrence Westbrook. During the evolutions programs were handed by Mrs. William Talley and Miss Kyle Pace. These were dainty little folders to provide for sixteen engagement dances and to send the lettered message, "Au Revoir. Until Next Summer—Frances Van Boddie." There was no formal refreshment feature, but a never-failing cup of refreshing punch served as the dancers desired. Seldom does a summer dance bring more congenial company or a greater degree of pleasure. One especial feature was the presence of several out of town guests. The young folks named in the invitation list are:

Misses Virginia Westbrook, Marguerite Westbrook, Lillian Westbrook, Lillian Westbrook of Laredo, Ida Orand, Pauline Foster, Ethel Foster, May Dee Caulfield, Lurline Mosely, Helen Hardy of Corsicana, Eleanor Blair, Rowena Barnett, Buena Clinton, Clara Knight, Nettie May Wilkes, Nancy Lacy, Stella Lacy, Monette Colgin, Grace Cox, Alice Lee, Boynton, Dixon Holloway, Mary Shelton, Mary Taylor of Taylor, Anne Risher, Mary Glover, Nanette Howell, Roberts Early, Bert Evelyn McKie, Beatrice Beaumont, Louise Baker, Lillian Halbert, Ermine Halbert, Susie Edmond, Berta Mackey, Russell, Belle Shumate, Greta Williams, Mattie Jones, Young of Weiner, Stockwell of Amarillo; Messrs. John Caulfield, George Cole, Oscar Moore, Malcolm Lindsey, Willard Wigley, Bart Moore, Jr., Moore Hays, James Prigdon, Tom Moore, Joe Willis, Julian Moore, Henry Lindsey, James Edmond, Frank Boynton, B. McCollum, Langdon Luedde, J. D. Willis, Simpkins Wood, Gardner Gillespie, J. R. Webb, Jerome Cartwright, William Abel, Bert Sanger, J. B. Fisher, Wallace Fraser, Wilbur Crawford, William Brown, Jackson Wells, Leslie Shelton, John Brockborough, Swann, Brooks, Sherod Wilson, Chauncey Glover, Ross Padgett, Curtis Rosser of Dallas, Edward Patton, Hal Hays, Hugh White.

### Society Notes.

The homecoming of Mrs. A. H. Newman from Chicago was hastened in order that she might welcome her wee grandchild and the proud mother, Mrs. Frederick Eby.

Miss Patty Casseday is leaving this morning for Corsicana, where she assumes new duties. This is supervisor of music in the public school. Miss Casseday is just returned from an extended western trip.

It is pleasing news that Mrs. William of Kentucky, Tenn., remains through the winter, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Adrian Moore, on Franklin street.

Misses May Dee Caulfield and Monette Colgin will go down for the State University opening. This is for the "rush" season, as it is known in the university circle. The "rush" is for desirable members for the Phi Beta Phi sorority, of which Miss Caulfield and Miss Colgin are enthusiastic members.

It is growing out of style to have a "junior" in the family. It is now Tom Brown the Second, Tom Brown the Third, and so on. What a time we do have keeping in style. Just as we are getting familiar with the "junior" which looks so distinctive, we find it is all wrong and we must come down to the inconspicuous "2d" and "3d."

The perfume is not applied any more. It is rather worn as the pen-  
nant on a neck chain and confined in-

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(Adv.)

## "Consistency Thou Art a Jewel"

If saloons are such business builders as some of the directors of the Business Men's Club and the Young Men's Business League would have you believe, why is this very important matter left off their stationery?

If saloons are an attraction to prospective home seekers, why do not the commercial clubs advertise how many saloons there are in Waco in connection with the various enterprises they do advertise?

Are our business organizations giving our saloons a "square deal?"

"Consistency, thou art a jewel."

(Adv.)

W. J. MITCHELL.

to a fancy cut glass bottle. This rather takes us back to the grandmother days of the smelling salts.

The Durham-Harrington lawn wedding was quite up to the latest. Aristocratic old Philadelphia says that home weddings have been quite the order of summer society.

The women who have read the latest by Upton Sinclair are discussing what it contains which provoked the dedication "To the Emancipation of Women." Who can apply dedication to substance?

With the season proclaiming a reign of silk for both women and men, it looks as though the busy little silk worm would be worked overtime.

Mrs. Cockrell, who matrimonized the W. D. Lacy home during the absence of Mrs. Lacy, is leaving for her home in Tennessee within a very few days.

Do not grow restless. By and by something real exciting for society will be announced.

Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm was presented on the London stage last Tuesday night. Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggin went over to superintend the presentation. There is something so soulful in Mrs. Wiggins that whatever concerns her is of interest. We can read the Birds Christmas Carol a hundred times and yet laugh just as immoderately over Mrs. Ruggles' "mess of children" as we did at the first perusal.

Miss Frances White is the guest for a few days in the family of her brother, Dr. G. B. Foscoe. Miss White has just done graduate work in the Uni-

versity of Chicago and is resting here a few days before assuming her duties as instructor in the State Normal in San Marcos.

Do not fail to send in any item of interest to the social world. This may be either personal or of a more general nature. It all goes to keep the women's department of The News brim-full of the interest which it has sustained during the dull summer.

It is said, you know, that the great artist, Rossetti, composed his poems and then painted his pictures to illustrate his verses. Those who read the art world note that there is scarce a great picture which has not inspired some lines from those inspired at the grand vision from the artist's brush. Raphael's Saint Cecilia and his Sistine Madonna are two. The poem accompanying the painting gives enhanced interest.

From the present drift of conversation the supposed debutantes for the opening season will not declare themselves formally. Those most prominently mentioned thus far in advance are Misses Monette Colgin, Engracia Smith, May Dee Caulfield, Virginia Westbrook and Stella Lacy.

Speaking of supper boxes, where is the old-fashioned picnic hamper? It used to be on hand at every outing, but now it is the pasteboard box.

### Society Personals.

Mrs. G. B. Foscoe is at home from Jefferson.

Miss Helen Harrison of Flatonia,

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on her way to Marlin, has been the guest of Miss Lota Pharr on South Fourth.

Mrs. Harvey Ross of North Fifth, is returned from a visit to her mother in Tulsa, Okla.

Miss Mamie Blanchard, formerly of Temple, was the passing guest of Mrs. G. B. Foscoe on her way to Haskell.

Mrs. Mattie D. Willis is returned from her summer sojourn in Canada. Her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Denson of Galveston, is with her.

Mrs. Marguerite Patten Prince, from Ithaca, N. Y., is the guest of her father, Dr. George Patten, on North Sixteenth.

Misses Jane Moore and Eric Evans are returned from their trip to California.

Miss Nancy Lacy is at home from Albany.

Mrs. J. W. Gooch of South Eighth is at home from Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

Miss Louise Dotson of Eighth and Speight, is on a visit to Nacogdoches. Mesdames Walter King and Minnie Carroll King of Speight street, are at home from Seguin.

Mrs. Percy Marshall is entertaining Miss Sockwell of Amarillo.

Mrs. Fred Wilcox of Herring av-

enuc, who made her summer trip to the Western states, is again at home.

The I. A. Goldstein home is enjoying a short visit from Constance Pessells, who is returning to San Antonio from Colorado.

Miss Susie Edmond of Morrow street, is with friends in Dallas.

Among present absentees from the city is Miss Lucile Hill of Washington street. She has gone to join a house party.

Miss Beatrice Beaumont of Washington street, has for her guest Miss Russell.

Mrs. W. M. Foster and Miss Ethel Foster are at home from Colorado.

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## THOSE OCEAN RATES.

Spokesmen for the ship brokers' combine attribute the rise in ocean rates from the gulf ports to Europe to the scarcity of shipping. The export business has picked up to such an extent and the crop prospects are so bright that there are no idle ships and it is natural, therefore, they say, for those who have ship space to sell to take advantage of the situation and make the most of it while it lasts.

Railroad equipment is getting scarce for the same reason that unengaged cargo ships are said to be scarce, but we have not heard of any traffic manager applying for authority to increase rates on that account. The railroad people are begging the public to release their cars at the earliest possible moment in order to have enough loose rolling stock at all times during the season to handle the business they know they are going to get, but they are not asking for higher rates because they see good times ahead.

The Texas common point rate to Galveston for cotton was around 70 cents when the railroad commission set up shop. Successive reductions have brought it down to 51 cents.

Five years ago the ocean rate for cotton, between Galveston and Liverpool, ranged from 32 to 36 cents. Now it is 65 cents. In this short space of time the arbitrary increase has been almost twice as great as the reduction that has been made in the rail rate.

On several occasions ship brokers have been active participants in movements to induce the railroad commission to reduce the rail rates, but wherever such reductions have been made they have been quick to absorb them—that is, they have raised the ocean rate in an amount equal to the reduction made in the rail rate—and the shippers of cotton got no benefit. And whenever conditions have been such as to cause a temporary suspension of traffic at some port—whenever there has been labor troubles or epidemics to close a particular port—ocean rates from unaffected ports have invariably been elevated and maintained at higher levels by the particular members of the ship brokers' combine who had their clothes on them.

While the railroad rate for cotton has been reduced about fifteen per cent in the past eighteen years, the cost of railroad material and wages has increased in much greater proportion and large sums of money have had to be spent for betterments and equipment. But there has been no increase in the cost of building and operating ships, although the ocean rate has been elevated about 100 per cent. The masters of the foreign cargo ships that make the gulf ports draw salaries that do not equal the wages of the average freight conductor. No self-respecting brakeman would think of accepting what the minor officers and sailors get in compensation for his labor. No railroad engineer would work for the wages of a steamship engineer. No locomotive fireman would be satisfied with the life and earnings of a steamship stoker.

Nothing has taken place to justify the increase in ocean rates. It is essentially arbitrary and a result of the fact that the ship brokers are in absolute control of the situation, and in a position to levy tribute on the commerce of the gulf states. These philanthropic gentlemen have the cotton grower where he must stand and deliver and they have arranged to go through his pockets at their leisure, secure in the knowledge that there is no policeman on the beat to interfere with them. They will get about \$15,000,000 more out of him than they are entitled to this year—enough with which to buy thirty good ships to sail in the cotton trade in

opposition to the combine, were it not for the law which prevents an American citizen from supplying himself with tonnage on even terms with the citizens of other nations and then sailing it under the American flag.

We have been hearing a great deal about free raw material and free this and free that, but no one has had much to say about free ships. Our statesmen and near statesmen detonate on the least provocation on all sorts of subjects, relevant and irrelevant, but maintain a vociferous silence on this one. Perhaps it does not appeal to them because it is too utilitarian. Again it may not be sufficiently promising as a breeder of trouble-making divisions of opinion to catch their fancy.

## THE WASTE PLACES.

A number of Liberty county citizens met in the town of Dayton a few days ago for the purpose of forming a truck growers' association. The meeting was addressed by S. H. Dixon of Houston, who among other remarks, delivered himself of the following: "There isn't an acre of poor land around Dayton, but there are some poor farms. The county doesn't need developing, but the farmers need to be developed."

This particular saying of Mr. Dixon's would still hold good if it were changed to read as follows: "There are more poor families than poor lands in Texas. Develop the farmers and the state will develop itself."

There is a disposition in some quarters to complain of the constitutional inhibition against the expenditure of state funds for the purpose of encouraging immigration. It hampers the agricultural department, we are told, and renders it powerless to co-operate with the railroads in their efforts to people our vacant lands.

That Texas needs immigration and has room for thousands of thrifty farmers from other states and countries is not to be disputed, but it strikes us that it is of prime importance that the present occupants of her soil be taught how to make the most of their opportunities before any public money is spent in attracting others here. What's the use talking about our undeveloped resources; of what benefit will it be to herald our opportunities broadcast if we do not learn to take advantage of them ourselves?

There are enough people in Texas today making a bluff at farming to make twice what we're annually credited with under the head of agricultural products. And when we say "making a bluff," we use the expression advisedly, because not one per cent of the land in cultivation in Texas is being intelligently farmed. Through ignorance or worse the bulk of the state's acreage is not made to produce to full capacity. Furthermore, it is being gradually impoverished and reduced to a condition in which its ownership must eventually become a burden.

The framers of the constitution set the seal of their disapproval on the expenditure of public money for advertising purposes, but they placed no obstacle in the way of using it with a view to teaching the state's citizens how to farm to advantage and how to help nature to do its best. They placed no limit on the amount that may be given to render the agricultural department in the truest sense efficient. They wrote no word against the appropriation of funds for the development of educational institutions to be maintained for the benefit of the agricultural classes.

The conclusion to be drawn from all of this is obvious. The authors of the organic law were not ignorant of the state's resources. On the contrary, they knew more about them than many of our present day exploiters, but they thought it better for the people of the state to acquire knowledge of how to develop them themselves than to have others do it for them, hence the thoughtfulness with which they opened the way for the building up of a great agricultural educational system.

If we have not done much with our agricultural resources it is because succeeding legislatures have occupied themselves more with politics than with useful subjects. But it looks as if the tide had turned. The thirty-first legislature made a start in the right direction when it passed an appropriation for agricultural high schools—small enough, 'tis true, but sufficient for a start—and public sentiment has since developed to a gratifying extent in favor of technical school training.

If the good work is kept up there will be no need of advertising for

immigrants. If our farmers are taught how to give their soil scientific treatment, the results will speak loudly enough to awaken echoes from one end of the world to the other.

The state's first duty is to its own citizens. Instead of a paltry \$50,000 a year, the legislature should set aside \$1,000,000 at least for experiment stations and agricultural training schools. When that is done a change will be produced that will bring undreamed of prosperity and alter farm conditions to such an extent that the problem of populating the waste places will pass promptly out of mind.

When the Waco-Beaumont air line is completed it will join Central Texas and East Texas with hooks of steel—like two friends.

Waco and Beaumont were the only two cities in Texas to break even on baseball gate receipts. That was to be expected of the two best cities in Texas.

Speaking of publicity reforms, how about requiring every spellbinder to preface his speeches with a statement of the amount he's being paid to make them?

The worst thing about this Mexican trouble is that we shall be hearing about "my property" that was destroyed by the insurgents for the rest of our lives.

There were also unconscious humorists in that Virginia Republican congressional convention that indorsed the administration without mentioning Taft's name.

Fewer checks than ever will be used in future campaign contributions, and no money will be passed in the presence of a witness by any trust magnate or his agent.

Flying will probably be dropped as a sport, if the claim of a Belgium engineer, that he has perfected an appliance that will make accidents to aeroplanes impossible, is made good.

Governor Marshall says he thinks the habit of financing congressional legislation is even more reprehensible than that of financing political campaigns, and it's a pretty good thing that.

## THE CAMPAIGN OF 1848.

(New York Sun.)

The superficial resemblance between the campaigns of 1848 and 1912 have not escaped comment, but for those who are eagerly searching for some preliminary basis for prophecy, there is in the election returns for the earlier year interesting if not conclusive evidence, supplying an example of the fashion in which a party vote was divided over an issue which was in part at least personal.

The split in the Democratic party in 1848 had a two-fold character. In this state the Free Soil movement drew alike from the Democrats who were already opposed to the domination of the party by the Southern slaveholders as a matter of principle and a far more numerous element who felt that the rejection of Van Buren in the convention of 1844, in which he had a majority of delegates, was a personal injury to a leader whom they admired and an injury they were prepared to avenge.

Thus in 1848, as in 1912, the conduct of a party convention and the personal grievance of a party leader, joined with a more or less considerable popular unrest against existing conditions, produced a split in the ranks of the party which had been victorious in 1844. The following table shows the comparative vote of the two parties in 1844 and the three in 1848:

	1844.	1848.
Polk, Democrat	237,588	
Clay, Whig	232,482	
Democratic plurality	5,106	
Taylor, Whig	218,603	
Van Buren, Free Soil	120,510	
Cass, Democrat	114,318	
Whig plurality	98,093	

It will be noted that while Taylor's plurality over Van Buren was 98,093, Van Buren led the regular candidate of his former party by 6,192, and Cass and Van Buren together polled 16,225 more votes than the Whig candidate who was elected, and that the Whig candidate polled 13,879 fewer votes than Henry Clay obtained in 1844.

This 6 per cent possibly represented the Whigs who went to the Free Soil party on the Free Soil issue.

Should the Republican party be divided in its polls as the Democratic party was in 1848, the result would be this year as follows: Wilson, 627,400; Roosevelt, 443,700; Taft, 426,300, using the figures of 1908 as a basis of reckoning. Wilson would thus be a minority selection, but his plurality over Roosevelt would be 183,700. There is enough resemblance between the two campaigns to make these figures worth noticing at least.

## Ten Minute Talks on City Building

LOCATION OF INDUSTRIES—HOW TO LOCATE INDUSTRIES BY THE INCUBATOR PLAN.  
BY S. H. CLAY.

The Incubator Plan is so-called because it permits the location of small industries in power buildings where expenses of operation are cut to the minimum, thereby making possible the existence of business enterprises which otherwise would find cost of production so high that they could not successfully enter the market and meet competition.

Nearly every city has its great power buildings where light, heat, power, elevator service, modern shipping facilities and all other conveniences are furnished at a rental rate which would fall far short of the interest on the capital necessary to be invested to supply as well as an equipped plant for housing each of many small industries separately.

Some of these power buildings, or incubators, as they are often called, are very large and house hundreds of industries. Sometimes each floor of the building will have a number of varied industries, each manufacturing articles entirely different from their next door neighbor.

Whole sections of some cities are occupied entirely by such buildings and by the community of interest afforded by them these business enterprises are enabled to secure the very latest improvements in the way of machinery and service at the minimum of cost.

The Bush Terminals in New York City furnish a splendid example of the possibilities of locating industries under this plan. Here are to be found immense buildings fitted throughout with the most modern conveniences and facilities for the quick and economical handling of freight, express and mail. Railroad facilities are to be found in the courts surrounding the factory floors and along the water front the buildings are established ample and commodious wharves equipped with modern appliances for the handling of freight bound to its destination by the water route.

The incubator building will be found of great benefit to any city in securing the location of industries so small that the expense of erecting a separate building for their plants would not be justified. It is a comparatively easy matter to secure one or more for a city where the demand is experienced or the future prospects for such industries seems to demand it.

It is not at all necessary that these buildings should be erected at a tremendous cost. A small stock company of local citizens can be organized which will purchase a site well located with reference to railroads. Some of the stockholders can quickly make a trip to the nearest city with power buildings and a short investigation will give the entire plan of the building proposed to be built to suit local conditions.

In the erection of the building care should be taken to provide the most economical method of handling both incoming and outgoing materials. The central energy station from which power is transmitted to all portions of the building should be so located as to facilitate to the utmost the quick transmission of power with the minimum of loss. Especially is this true of buildings where the power furnished is steam.

The stockholders who erect such a building will obtain their income from the rentals which would be placed at a low enough figure to attract the industries. They will then be found to produce a handsome dividend on the capital invested. The rental is usually made to cover all utilities, such as power, light, heat, elevator service, water and shipping facilities.

Too great attention cannot be paid in the erection of such a building to sanitation, including ventilation and the proper disposal of sewerage and all waste products of the industries. With very little expense rest rooms for the female employees of the industries, lunch rooms for all and like accommodations can be provided.

It takes work, good consistent team-work on the part of the citizens of a community to secure the location of industries, no matter what plan is used nor what advantages your city has. To interest the prospective industry means selling the location as being for additional inducements beside the natural advantages of your city which requires the attention of your best business men. To fight shy of the bonus-hunter who is constantly appearing and reappearing, each time with a more plausible story, requires constant diligence. To finance the expenses of location of a good industry requires the co-operation of your citizens. All of this requires work, not only from one man, the commercial secretary, but from all the live, wide-awake citizens who have an earnest desire to see your city grow.

Of all plans yet adopted by cities for the financing of location operations the Development Company Plan bids fair to out-live the rest. The reason is manifest. When the Development Company is once organized, under its charter it is possible to lend its credit to incoming industries by financing its loans in the company's own funds by either the purchase of industrial bonds or making loans outright; it is possible to handle the Town Lot plan through its channels as is being done in the state of Oklahoma; and it is also possible to erect the incubator or power building with a portion of the Development Company capital stock, besides the Development Company has the authority to subscribe for industrial stocks.

Another advantage of the Development Company is that when organized a fund is then provided which can be demanded from the stockholders at any time it is needed, whereas without it the community which finds itself in need of finances at any particular time is compelled to go out and drum the business men and citizens for subscriptions and then repeat the dose when the next occasion requires.

(Next week the general topic of the articles of this service will be Transportation. Articles concerning transportation facilities, freight rates and their adjustment will appear from day to day.)  
(Monday)—How to secure concessions from the railroads.)

## ROOSEVELT IS COMING.

The Colonel Is Expected to Make Tour of Texas.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 6.—Announcement was made here today by Progressive leaders that Theodore Roosevelt will make a circle of Texas early in October, or soon after his appearance before the senate committee on investigations in Washington. He will appear before the committee October 3. Immediately afterward he will start through the South, come as far west as Texas and go north to St. Louis.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

## TO PROTECT AUTO OWNERS.

To Make it an Offense to Use Cars For Joy Riding.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 6.—R. F. Burgess and Eugene Harris, representatives-elect from El Paso to the Texas legislature, will ask the next session to pass a law making it a penal offense to steal an automobile or "borrow" one for a "joy ride" without the owner's consent. The El Paso Automobile club has asked for such a law and both representatives propose to push it.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

## REPORT ON FISH BUSINESS.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 6.—The annual report of J. V. Campbell, chief deputy game, fish and oyster commissioner for Galveston county, shows total collections for the year from all sources to be \$12,296.68. Of this amount \$9,871.95 was for sand and shell taxes. Rent for oyster claims was the next largest item, \$1,121.55. Oyster and fish tax, planting licenses and boat registrations make up the balance.

The report also shows that there are 121 boats engaged in the oyster business in Galveston county. These boats have a total value of \$39,509.

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## STRIKE IS OFF.

Longshoremen Return to Work on Galveston's Water Front.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 6.—Work along the water front, which has been suspended since last Tuesday, pending the settlement of differences between the cotton screwmen and longshoremen on the one hand and the stevedores and steamship agents on the other, was resumed this morning following an agreement reached late last night. Contracts covering the work for the year are being signed by the various stevedoring firms today.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

## CHILD LOSE BOTH FEET.

Is Run Down By Motor Car on Texas and Pacific.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 6.—Edna, a ten-year-old girl, had both feet cut off when she was run down by a Texas and Pacific motor car on a trestle near Eagle Ford today. The girl was on her way to school. When she saw the car coming she became bewildered and there was no time to stop the car.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

## SERVICE ON STANDARD OIL.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 6.—Word was received here today by United States Marshal Green that service had been secured on the Standard Oil company of New York, at its offices, 26 Broadway, in connection with the recent indictment of that and other oil companies charged with violation of the Sherman anti-trust law in Texas.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

Will the gentlemen who picked up a lady's pocketbook at Fifth and Washington streets, Tuesday at 5 o'clock, please return same to the office? The contents represent a month's salary of a telephone girl and 75c additional.

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## GIANTS TAKE A DOUBLE HEADER

THAT ATHLETICS OUT IN FIRST GAME WITH NO RUNS AND NO HITS.

## TESREAU NO-HIT VICTORY

Second Game Hard Fought, Each Side Using Three Pitchers—New York Wins 5 Out of 6.

Pittsburg, Sept. 6.—New York again won both games of a double-header today, giving them five victories out of six contests in three days in this city. New York won the opener by hitting Rixey's delivery hard in the third and fourth innings. Tesreau pitched in grand style, and after the game was given credit by the official scorer for a no-hit victory, although very one hit had scored against him. A disputed play came in the first inning. Paskert hit a fly near the plate for which Merkle and Wilson ran. Each fielder got under the ball, then fearing a collision they permitted the ball to drop to the ground. After the game the official scorers reversed his decision on the play and decided to cross out the hit for Paskert and give Merkle an error, as the latter said he had touched the ball when he saw that Wilson would not run into him. The second game was a hard-fought, each side using three pitchers. New York won in the ninth in an error, two singles and a sacrifice. Score:

First game—	AB	R	H	O	A	E
New York—	10	0	2	0	0	0
Levere, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Boyle, 2b	5	0	0	0	0	0
Indragrace, cf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Furray, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Merkle, 1b	4	0	2	0	0	0
Archer, 3b	3	1	2	1	0	0
Wilson, ss	1	1	1	1	0	0
Netcher, ss	4	1	2	1	1	0
Tesreau, p	3	0	1	1	0	0
Crandall, *	1	0	1	0	0	0

Totals 31 10 27 6 2  
\*Hit for Devore in third.  
Philadelphia—

First game—	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Paskert, cf	3	0	0	3	1	0
Langus, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Miller, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Adams, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	2
Falsh, 2b	2	0	0	4	2	0
Woolan, ss	3	0	0	4	0	0
Wedge, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Miller, c	3	0	0	3	2	0
Tracy, p	1	0	0	2	0	0
Nicholson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Selson, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Wedge, *	1	0	0	0	0	0
Travath, *	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 25 0 0 27 19 4  
\*Hit for Rixey in sixth.  
\*Hit for Nicholson in eighth.  
By innings—

\*\*Hit by Nicholson in eighth.  
 By Innings—  
 New York.....002 100 000  
 Philadelphia.....000 000 000  
 Summary—Sacrifice hits—Tesreau,  
 Wilson. Stolen bases—Merkle 2; Hersey  
 2. Struck out—Tesreau, Rixey 4;  
 Nelson 1. Double plays—Paskert  
 and Killifer. First base on errors—  
 New York 1; Philadelphia 1. First  
 base on balls—Tesreau 2; Nicholson  
 1; Nelson 1; Rixey 3. Left on base—  
 New York 4; Philadelphia 6. Pitchers'  
 record—Off Rixey 7 hits and 22  
 times at bat in six innings; off Nicholson  
 2 hits and 6 times at bat in two  
 innings; off Nelson 1 hit and 2

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Second game—  
New York .....002 100 321-9 11 0  
Philadelphia .....000 051 011-8 12 6  
Batteries:  
New York—Marquard, Crandall, Mathewson; Wilson and Hartley.  
Philadelphia—Finneran, Mayer and Chalmers; Doolin and Killifer.

Chicago 5, Cincinnati 5.  
Cincinnati, Sept. 6.—Chicago won an uphill battle from Cincinnati today in a ninth-inning finish, 5 to 5. The locals contributed three errors in this round and these, coupled with three hits by the visitors, netted the other three runs and put them one run to the good at the finish. Shreckard, Cotter and Phelan hit timely. Fromme forced a run over the plate in the fifth by giving Richie a base on balls with the bases full.

Score—  
Chicago .....200 010 002-8 9 2  
Cincinnati .....100 110 200-5 10 2  
Richie and Cotter; Fromme and McLean.

Pittsburg 5, St. Louis 0.  
St. Louis, Sept. 6.—Cooper kept St. Louis' hits well scattered while his teammates hit when hits meant runs, and Pittsburg today made it two games in succession, 5 to 0. Several recruits were in the local line up.  
Score—  
Pittsburg .....023 120 000-5 13 0  
St. Louis .....000 000 000-0 9 5  
Cooper and Simon; Griner, Geyer and Snyder.

Brooklyn 2, Boston 1.  
Brooklyn, Sept. 6.—Brooklyn made it three straight wins today. The score was 2 to 1. Curdie held the visitors down to one hit until the eighth, when Houser, batting for Perdue, doubled and scored on Campbell's two bagger. Sensational catches in the outfield kept the runs down.  
Score—  
Boston .....000 000 001-1 3 0  
Brooklyn .....001 001 000-2 8 1  
Perdue, Donnelly and Rariden; Curdie and Erwin.

## Southern League

At Atlanta—  
Atlanta .....000 000 000-0 9 1  
Nashville .....100 000 000-1 7 0  
Waldorf and Graham; Fleahy and Elliott.

At Birmingham—  
Birmingham .....000 000 000-4 9 0  
Montgomery .....000 000 010-1 8 5  
Boyd and Dilger; Adams and McAllister.

At Chattanooga—  
Memphis .....000 000 000-0 7 2  
Chattanooga .....201 000 000-3 7 2  
Newton, Klesinger and Seabough; Moore and Glideo.

At New Orleans—Mobile off day.

## GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—Charles Evans Jr. of the Edgewater club of Chicago, western amateur golf champion, holder of many course records and joint holder with Harold Hilton of the low medal score in the qualifying round of the national amateur golf championship, tomorrow will play Jerome Travers of Upper Montclair, N. J., metropolitan champion, twice national champion and a match player admitted to be one of the strongest in this country. Travers and Evans both are scratch men in the national handicap list.

Travers has played his way through the tournament at Wheaton by defeating Sherill Sherman, Walter J. Travis, Mason Phelps and Hamilton Kerr. Kerr's showing has been one of the surprises on the national championship. The young Vermont player was extended to his utmost yesterday, however, to beat Paul Hunter of Midlothian in 37 holes and was easy for Travers today.

"Chick" Evans was forced today to defeat Warren K. Wood of Homewood, who carried the match to the thirty-third hole. Wood was runner-up to Evans at Denver in the western championship. Evans went through the field defeating A. W. Tillmuthurst, H. B. Lee, Henrich Schmidt and Warren K. Wood.

## American League

Boston 1, Washington 0.

Boston, Sept. 6.—Joe Wood beat Walter Johnson today, winning his fifteenth straight victory, in a spectacular pitchers' battle which Johnson sought to win the hope of protecting his American league record of sixteen consecutive wins. The score was Boston 1, Washington 0. The lone tally came in the sixth with two out. Speaker hit into the crowd in left field for two bases. Lewis, next up, knocked into right field for a double, a hard fly which Mueller was barely able to touch. Speaker scoring. Washington had more opportunity to score than Boston, but Wood was at the top of his game in the pinches, striking out nine men. Johnson fanned five, three of these being consecutive outs in the fifth. The Senators filled the bases, two being passed in the third, and Wood fanned Mueller for the third out. Washington had runners on second in the sixth, eighth and ninth, but they could get no further. Wood fanning men for the last out on two of these occasions.

Score—  
Boston .....000 001 001-1 5 0  
Washington .....000 000 000-0 6 0  
Wood and Cady; Johnson and Almsmith.

St. Louis 4, Detroit 2.  
Detroit, Sept. 6.—Detroit couldn't hit Hamilton, but after giving his ninth base on balls in the eighth, he was taken out and Allison finished, keeping St. Louis safe in the lead. Hamilton also hit two batters. Wheatley, a recruit, pitched the first seven innings for Detroit.  
Score—  
St. Louis .....000 100 300-4 11 0  
Detroit .....001 000 010-2 4 0  
Hamilton, Allison and Krichell; Wheatley, Covington and Stange, Kocher.

Cleveland 5, Chicago 2.  
Chicago, Sept. 6.—Errors gave Cleveland today's game with Chicago 5 to 2 after eleven hard-fought innings. Jackson opened the eleventh with a pass. Lajoie singled, Birmingham bunted to Benz, who tossed the ball wild to first, Jackson scoring. Graney sent a long fly to Lord, who made a beautiful running catch and then threw wild to third to catch Lajoie, who kept on running from second, and scored. Another single scored Birmingham.  
Score—  
Chicago .....000 011 000 00-3 7 2  
Cleveland .....000 000 000 03-5 10 2  
Benz and Kuhn; Baskette and Carlsch.

Philadelphia 4, New York 2.  
New York, Sept. 6.—Philadelphia defeated New York again today 4 to 2. McConnell outpitched Crab, but the breaks favored the Athletics' pitcher. The New Yorks made only two runs on fourteen hits and six passes, and an error by Collins led in one of these. The visitors won in the ninth when Baker singled and McInnes attempted to sacrifice. Chase threw wild to second to force Baker and when Lelivelt let the ball go through him Baker scored and McInnes reached third. Barry scored McInnes on the squeeze play.  
Score—  
Philadelphia .....100 000 102-4 5 2  
New York .....100 000 010-2 14 2  
Crabb and Lapp; McConnell and Sweeney.

## American Ass'n

At Columbus 3, Toledo 1.  
At St. Paul 6, Milwaukee 5.  
At Minneapolis 4, Kansas City 5.  
At Indianapolis 4, Louisville 6.

## THIRD TRIAL IS SUCCESSFUL.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 6.—Edward A. Daniel, a retired druggist carried out a threat made several years ago, when he committed suicide last night. It was his third attempt. In committing the deed he used cyanide of potassium. Daniel remarked to friends a number of years ago that "some day he would end his life. The two former attempts failed. He has been out of business several months.

## Baseball Calendar

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
Boston 1, Washington 0.  
Philadelphia 4, New York 2.  
Cleveland 5, Chicago 2.  
St. Louis 4, Detroit 2.

Where They Play Today.  
Boston at Brooklyn.  
New York at Philadelphia.  
Pittsburg at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Cincinnati.

Standing of the Teams.	Clubs—	Pld.	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	126	90	49	693	
Philadelphia	133	74	52	600	
Washington	123	73	55	587	
Chicago	128	65	63	508	
Cleveland	130	57	73	438	
Detroit	130	56	74	421	
New York	129	48	81	372	
St. Louis	126	45	83	352	

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
New York 3-9, Philadelphia 0-8.  
Boston 1, Cincinnati 1.  
Chicago 8, Cincinnati 5.  
Pittsburg 8, St. Louis 0.

Where They Play Today.  
St. Louis at Detroit.  
Cleveland at Chicago.  
Washington at Boston.  
Philadelphia at New York.

Standing of the Teams.	Clubs—	Pld.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	127	89	58	701	
Chicago	126	80	46	625	
Pittsburg	128	76	52	593	
Cincinnati	130	63	67	485	
Philadelphia	128	62	66	484	
St. Louis	128	55	73	430	
Brooklyn	126	48	78	381	
Boston	127	38	88	299	

### FOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP.

Series Will Open October 8—Perfect Plans on September 16.

St. Louis, Sept. 6.—The series for the world's baseball championship will begin October 8, according to President Ban B. Johnson of the American league, in a letter to a local paper. The American league pennant winner will not engage in a post season series with a picked team of the league, says President Johnson. The letter follows: "A series of exhibition games for the champions of the American league at the close of this season will be impossible. In the east the championship races close October 5 and in the west on the following day. The series for the world's championship will begin Tuesday, October 8. The only preparation the American league champions will make for this event will be to take a good substantial rest for two or three days."

### WORLD'S SERIES PLANS.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 6.—Chairman August Herrmann of the National Baseball commission, when seen today, said arrangements for the world's championship baseball series will be perfected at a meeting of the commission in Cincinnati on September 15. He would advance no opinion as to the probable dates for the big battles.

### ONE WAY TO WIN A BET.

"I have made a bet with a friend here and we have agreed to leave it to the Star to decide," said a voice over the information in the Washington Star office.

"The question is, how many years was Roosevelt president?"  
"Seven years," was the answer given.  
"How's that?"  
"Seven years."  
"Nine years, hey?"  
"No, not nine years, but seven, seven years, seven years."  
"That's just what I bet, that he was president nine years. My friend bet it was seven years. So I win, hey?"  
"No, you lose."  
"All right, so your decision is that Roosevelt was president nine years, and I win the bet; is that right?"  
"No, sir, you are wrong; you lose, and the other man wins."  
"Yes, thank you," and before he hung up the receiver he was heard to say: "He says that Roosevelt was president nine years and that I win."

## TO THE PATRIOTIC CITIZENS OF TEXAS AND THE GREAT SOUTHWEST

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## INSTRUCTION FOR ALL ANTI VOTERS

"Scratch the middle line," is the advice that anti voters should remember when they go to the polls Saturday, September 7, and then do it. The official ballots, which will be voted at the election, will have only three lines and will read as follows:

## OFFICIAL BALLOT

WELL KNOWN RAILROAD MAN PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY.

## FOR PROHIBITION

## AGAINST PROHIBITION

In order to vote the anti ticket, the middle line must be scratched. Just "Scratch the middle line" is the thing to remember.  
(Adv.)

## McMILLAN HAS RESIGNED.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 6.—R. J. McMillan, general freight and passenger agent for the Brownsville line of the Frisco at Kingsville, has tendered his resignation. He is to be succeeded by Harry J. Neff, commercial agent.

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## CAPT. J. H. ELLIOT DEAD

WELL KNOWN RAILROAD MAN PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY.

Lived in Waco Years Ago and Was One of First Conductors on the Sap.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 6.—Captain J. H. Elliott, father-in-law of Ex-President Davidson, of the Frisco, died suddenly at 1 p. m. today. He asked his wife to get him a magazine and while she was gone died.

Captain Elliott was one of the best known railroad men in Texas and has been a conductor on the Frisco between Fort Worth and Sherman. He formerly lived in Waco, and before coming here had his headquarters in Yoakum.

When the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railroad first began operation out of Waco, Captain Elliott and Charley Niles were the two conductors who handled the two passenger trains on

that road and were warm friends. Captain and Mrs. Elliott lived at the Hotel Royal in Waco, and they had many friends among the people there. Later their headquarters were moved to Yoakum, and it was while they were living at Yoakum that A. J. Davidson, superintendent of the Sap married their daughter. Mr. Davidson afterwards became president of the Frisco and his father-in-law had his run on the Frisco for years. Mrs. Elliott is a literary woman and has written several published books under the pen name of Nina Mills Elliott.

## WOMAN'S BANK ACCOUNT.

A woman went into one of the banks in Frederica, says the Herald, and said to the cashier:

"I should like to open an account at this bank, if you please."

"We shall be glad to accommodate you, madam. What amount do you wish to deposit?"

"Oh, but I mean to charge account, such as I have at the dry goods store."

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# MONSTER RALLY ENDS THE ANTI CAMPAIGN

**Torchlight and Auto Parade Precedes Final Speeches to Audience of 3000 Waco and McLennan County People.**

## RABBI WARSAW POINTS OUT MORAL SIDE OF ISSUE

Greater attestation of interest and sympathy by McLennan county and Waco citizens in the local option election which will be held today, who if they do their duty will defeat their proposition, could not have been secured.

Three thousand persons gathered last night to attend the closing rally of the Anti-Local Option committee. Starting with a monster torch light parade at the city hall with over five hundred marching men in line, a number of carriages and almost a hundred automobiles, all carrying a full quota of passengers, the people wended their way west on Austin avenue to Ninth and over to the Franklin street lots where the addresses were delivered. The parade was lighted by a thousand torches, red fire and sparklers. Marshals mounted on horses added dignity to the demonstration, and a platoon of mounted police headed the parade.

### MANY FARMERS HEAR SPEECHES.

A fact that gave much interest to the rally was the attendance of the great number of McLennan county farmers who came in to hear the addresses. Many drove their automobiles and carriages in the parade and remained the entire evening. Several were accompanied by their wives and members of their families. The number of Waco ladies attending the rally last night was also quite noticeable, and they proved interested listeners. Included were many prominent in church and social affairs of the city.

When the rally was opened the crowd, taking advantage of the additional seats installed since the rally Tuesday night, filled the greater part of the lot. On all sides, however, and on the Franklin street side particularly, the sidewalk was jammed with interested auditors. In Franklin street was a congestion of automobiles and carriages, and the street was still crowded when the speaking ended, shortly after 10 o'clock. The audience was the largest ever assembled in Waco to hear a discussion of the prohibition question, and every speaker was accorded respectful attention.

### REPRESENTATIVE AUDIENCE GATHERS TO HEAR ADDRESSES.

The audience was a representative Waco one, and all citizens were interested in hearing an impassioned discussion and presentation of the issues. The business interests were represented almost entire. The attendance of laboring men was also marked. On the stage were seated over a hundred persons, many of them business men, who paid close attention to every remark. The addresses were not long and tiresome, and every one teemed with logical arguments and sound reasoning.

The three talks—Hon. W. W. Hair of Temple, Rabbi I. Warsaw of Temple, and Rodef Sholem and Lud Williams of Waco being the speakers—were audience-pleasers, and the crowd at the close of the evening, when Alessandro's band played "There'll Be a Hot Time" and "Dixie," was almost as large as at the first.

On the back of the stage the banners that were carried in the parade were displayed. They read:

- "The agitator and the fake reformer must go. Scratch the middle line."
- "Would you kill the Cotton Palace?"
- "We are going to scratch the middle line."
- "If you are a live wire you will scratch the middle line."
- "All Waco boosters are going to scratch the middle line."
- "When a city prospers, labor prospers. Isn't Waco a prosperous city now?"
- "For regulation, peace, progress, scratch the middle line."
- "Vote to save Waco from the prohibition bootlegger."
- "We are for Waco, the live wire. Help us."
- "Can you name a prosperous 'pro' city?"
- "No bootlegger rule for Waco."
- "Waco boosters can be depended on to scratch the middle line," and many others.

### Morality Defended.

From a moral standpoint the prohibition question was discussed by Rabbi I. Warsaw of Temple Rodef Sholem in one of the feature addresses of the evening. A wide distinction was drawn between liquor licensed and unlicensed drinking and a severe arraignment was made of the intolerance of prohibitionists who would eliminate the saloons. He pleaded for liberty and told of conditions when that privilege is denied. His remark that the first prohibition law ordered in the garden of Eden was broken brought applause, as did many other statements in the address.

### Wants Social Betterment.

Betterment of social conditions, as a work for ministers and churchmen, rather than the giving of advice from homes of luxury and from swivel chairs was recommended by Dr. Warsaw, and he followed this by stating that the removal of temptation from the city was the only way to leave the county a better place. In removing temptations from Waco, Dr. Warsaw asked why it would not be advisable to close Cameron park, and thus abolish the flirtations there, as well as the theaters and the dances. Prohibition inspires a desire for the thing prohibited, the speaker also said, and cited a number of pertinent illustrations.

### Jews Defended.

Dr. Warsaw resented the reported insinuation of a prohibition speaker that "when the Germans, Bohemians and Jews become civilized, they will vote the prohibition ticket."

As a slander against his people in Waco, he denounced the statement and offered \$1000 for the finder of a drunken Jew. He paid considerable attention to the sobriety of his race and his remarks were well received. His address follows:

"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: When I go out tomorrow to exercise the most glorious of all privileges, to cast my vote upon a question of great moment, my vote shall be against prohibition. (Applause.) And though not being a Catholic Rabbi—only a Jewish Rabbi—I want to explain why my vote shall be for anti-prohibition.

"It seems to me the prohibitionists have something in their hands, the preponderance of which they do not understand, because they have it bountifully. I was born in a country where liberty is a precious thing—where you must sleep, eat and drink under the law. Having liberty, I know how to appreciate it. (Applause.) I know how dangerous it is to hazard anything that stifles liberty. But these prohibitionists having enjoyed liberty in every phase of life seem to have gotten tired of it

stimulate jaded nerves. Those who had nothing had to find something for the trouble, and found they could drown their trouble.

**Some Inconsistencies.**  
"When I hear a minister or great reformer having every luxury, decried the drinking habit of the poor laborer, it looks inconsistent to me. The laborer toils from 6 o'clock to sunset. What can he expect when he gets home? He has none of the comforts of his more fortunate brother—no flowers—no fine home, so he goes to the saloon to drown his troubles. If the ministers and prohibitionists would only bestow one-half the zeal upon the betterment of social conditions, the laborers' home, and working girls, would not their efforts be more speedily and effectively rewarded? (Applause.) If I vote against prohibition, it is because I would rather live among a few boozers than any community of bondmen. (Applause.) I have no use for the citizen of any country from whom you have to take temptation. (Applause.) If that be the case you will have to convert all our dry goods stores into churches to save our boys."

### Bible is Quoted.

Dr. Warsaw quoted many passages from the Bible showing where it was not wrong to drink. He also treated the matter from a scientific point, showing while scientists disagree on some points, they do not say it is harmful to drink. He also drew a word picture saying that the prohibitionists say it is wrong to dance and to attend the theaters—yet would we prohibit dancing and close our theaters? He stated that anyone knows that more spooning and love-making starts in the public parks, yet would they be in favor of closing Cameron Park, because people spoon out there?

"The scientists," said Dr. Warsaw, "tell us that if we cut out meats and sweets, and eat cheese and drink milk, that we will live longer, but what sane person would think of living on cheese and sour milk? That's what the prohibitionists want us to do, yet they don't practice it."

"My friends, if you want to instill happiness in life, and destroy the evils that affect our homes, begin in the home. Do not permit your children to tell a lie. Cry out against the tainted dollar and show clean hands and a pure heart. Then you would not have to close up saloons. The intention of God was not to give you desires to kill, but to control, purify and ennoble them."

"A prohibitionist said the other night that when the Germans, Bohemians and Jews become civilized, they would be prohibitionists. I can not speak for the Germans and Bohemians—they can take care of themselves. I do know that they have come to this country, obeyed its laws and are among our best citizens. But, as far as the Jews are concerned, I can speak for them, as I am the pastor of the synagogue in this city. I will give \$1000 to any man who will show one Jew drunkard in Waco. (Applause.) I am thankful that not a single Jew has been buried in a drunkard's grave. We believe in moderation, not prohibition. Let's combine and fight with might and main, not the saloon but the drunkard. The saloons will close when you have reformed the individual, and there will be none to drink."

### Gen. Robertson Presides.

The rally was opened by a short address by General Felix H. Robertson, chairman of the Anti-Local-Option committee, who presided during the evening. General Robertson stated that the attempt of the prohibitionists to eliminate the liquor traffic was a blow at the root of all liberties and denounced it as an immoral act. His address follows:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: In closing this campaign, it is gratifying to your committee to see so many of the best ladies in this county at this meeting. (Applause.) Notwithstanding the fraudulent claims of our adversaries that they were in possession of all the civic virtues and all the morals in this contest, we have endeavored to impress in this campaign the fact that anyone who attacks the liberties of the people is engaged in an act that the people will not stand. (Applause.) We desire, and these ladies desire to transmit to the children that come after us, the liberties that were bequeathed to us by a noble set of men who have gone to their reward."

"The people who built the Cotton Palace, all these fine buildings, and who have made Waco a better city than it was, are behind this movement. We don't take a back seat when it comes to any man, even if he is the paid agent of the Anti-Saloon League, who comes in here and decries our virtues. (Applause.) I am sure that when tomorrow's sun sets, you will see a glorious victory for liberty. (Applause.)"

### Regulation the Method.

That the 9:30 p. m. closing hour for saloons is the best and only solution to the liquor question was the burden of the address of Hon. W. W. Hair of Temple, the first speaker of the program. Mr. Hair detailed the present regulatory system and asked how much more regulation the people want. He also referred to the prohibition plea of making the citizens good by law. Continuing, he said that the only way to do that was by a system of education. Mr. Hair also said that the defeat of local option means \$1,000,000 to Waco. In his address, Mr. Hair said:

### Control Whole Question.

"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: My friends, the issue in this campaign is not for or against the open saloon; but the issue is in which way can we best control the excessive drinking upon the part of some of our people? In some parts of the United States, some people think the best way to control intemperance and the evils that flow from intemperance is an exceedingly high license; and in some states, as in South Carolina, they believe the best

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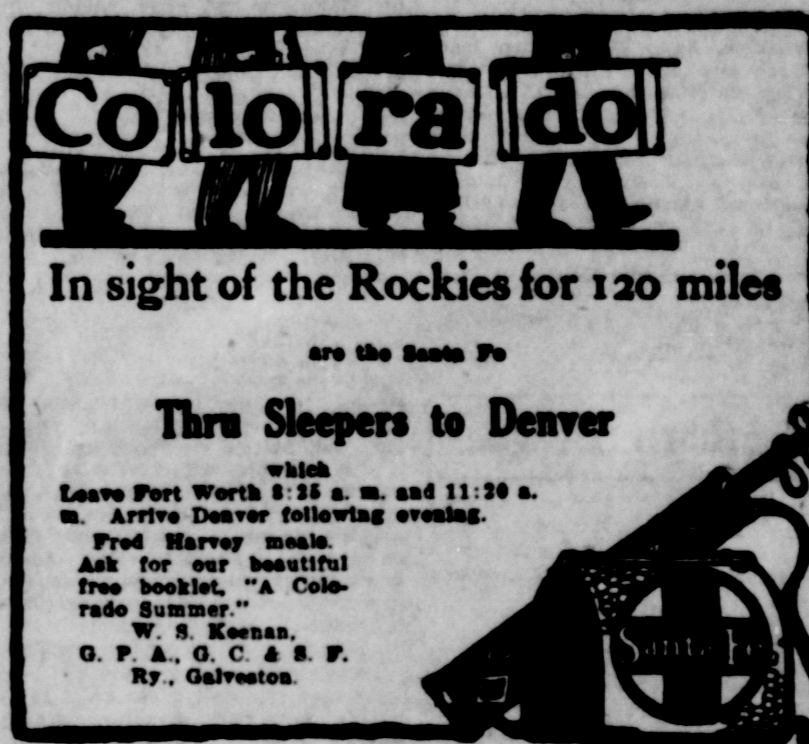
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### Prohibition Wrong Principle.

"I am against prohibition for a number of reasons. One of the main ones is that it is the wrong principle of government. If a man is willing to look to Austin and Washington to address his wrongs, that kind and character of a man ought to vote the prohibition ticket. (Applause.) But my friends, if you love your family, your self and country, if you are willing to try and elevate yourself all the time, you ought to be a little liberal and it may result occasionally that you will have to take the law into your own hands; but I would rather have that occur once in a while than be bound by unfortunate laws made by other men. (Applause.)"

"They say prohibition can be enforced. I don't know why it is that it has never been enforced and in a prohibition country. Worlds of liquor will come in here if you have prohibition; it is class legislation. After you get this law, a man who is rich can afford an ice box, can purchase it anywhere he sees fit."

**Union Disastrous.**  
"The worst tendency in all this legislation is that it tends to a union of church and state," said Mr. Hair, and he then recited a number of the blue laws as they were formerly employed in New England, including an account of the killing of a man for kissing his wife publicly after he had returned from a three-year trip."

Continuing, Mr. Hair said: "I just mentioned this to show you the tendency of the legislation the pros want to pass. I would rather have my boy go to bed some night after having been taken a glass of beer than to go to bed with the crime of perjury on his soul, and a law that will breed perjury should be abhorred. (Applause.)"

"They ask do you defend the open saloon. I say yes, the open bonded, restricted saloon—the open saloon as compared to the closed saloon, blind tiger, bootlegger, and express saloon. If there is a saloon in this county that is not open, your county attorney can require it to be opened in 30 minutes, so that any man who enters will be in full view of the public."

**Business Interests at Stake.**  
"There is just one more argument as far as Waco is concerned, and that means a million to your country," Mr. Hair then told of one Temple saloon shipping liquor valued at \$195 in one day to San Saba, and said that the trade from Waco would go to Dallas, Temple, Marlin and other places. Continuing he said that hundreds of men will be thrown out of employment and that it will take ten years for Waco to recover from the effects. He told of the founding of Greeley, Colo., by Horace Greeley and said that the sale of lots with the provisions that liquor could never be sold there resulted in the establishment of Denver, now the largest inland city in the United States. Liquor is sold there."

### Regulation Gets Another Boost.

Prohibition as wrong principle compared the address of Judge Lud Williams. He pleaded that prohibition does not prohibit and cited instances of theft and other matters. That there is more temperance in one Bible sermon by a sincere man than in all temperance preachments was another statement by Mr. Williams, and continuing, he pleaded that conditions now are satisfactory for the raising of any boy worth while. Regulation as guaranteed by the next legislature was also discussed by Mr. Williams and he said that a system of education was responsible for the improved condition. His address follows:

"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen—It has afforded me a great deal of pleasure to sit here and listen to good old democratic doctrine from my friend, Will Hair of Temple. (Applause.) I had intended myself, tonight, to discuss largely the issue of prohibition as wrong in principle, as contrary to the fundamentals of our free institutions. Mr. Hair has covered that subject so fully that, with brief reference, I shall pass on. I want to add one or two things to what he said."

"It is a peculiar thing to me that if we are to prohibit all the things that evil may come from, why it is they have singled out the liquor traffic? They say that you must not regulate it, that you must kill, that regulation is not the remedy. I tell them they are wrong in their proposition. I say that it seems to be the will of the Divine Creator that evil and temptation should be in this world. Take property rights: Is it not a temptation to steal, but would you do away with the value of property to get rid of the temptation? Then there's fire insurance. A man takes out a policy, his business decreases and he has more insurance than he has stock. There is the temptation for arson, but will you make it against the law to run fire insurance companies? (Applause.)"

### Evils Manifest.

"Marriage may be made bad in some cases, but would you pass a law against marriage? The church itself results in evil frequently. That may sound a little funny to some of you, but it's true. Here is the relationship: By attendance upon some revival or camp meeting a boy and girl meet. Had it not been for that meeting that young man and that young woman probably would never have met. Suppose the woman marries him and her life is ruined. Would you prohibit churches because those things happen? (Applause.) I am a believer in church and regulation, but it is a peculiar thing to me that with all the power of the gospel, the more than fifty ministers in this county must ask the people to help them fight the devil, and won't acknowledge the power of God to overcome evil. (Applause.) I believe there is more saving power, more temperance, more moral good in the community in one good old straight Bible sermon by a man whose teachings are from the holy book than

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## SUIT ON RETAIL LIQUOR DEALER'S BOND:

W. J. Hood and wife of Erath County, Texas, as plaintiffs, are suing R. M. Cooper and his bondsmen, the American Surety Company of New York, for the sum of \$2500 for selling liquor to a minor.

Plaintiffs allege that R. M. Cooper, a retail liquor dealer doing business in Waco, Texas, did, in violation of the liquor laws, on or about May 1st, 1912, and on or about May 11th, 1912, and on or about May 25th, 1912, and on or about May 18th, 1912, sell to their son, Aron Hood, a minor under 21 years of age, spirituous, vinous and malt liquors capable of producing intoxication, said minor being only 16 years of age.

HICKMAN & BATEMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Filed with R. V. McClain, District Clerk, September 3rd, 1912. (Adv.)

## CHINESE ARE IN COURT

NINE ARE CHARGED WITH GAMING AND ONE ON TRIAL.

Interest in Outcome of the Prosecution. Small Domino Blocks Were Used in the Play.

One of the nine Chinamen captured Wednesday night by Constable Stegall's raid on a gambling den was placed on trial in Justice Ford's court yesterday afternoon. The outcome in this case, it is believed, will be an index or guide to the disposition of the other eight. When court opened at 2 o'clock, the question of whether the whole bunch be tried at one time or whether they should be tried separately precipitated a lively argument, and the separate case proposition was finally decided on.

It was a motley gathering of Orientals that took seats in the court room. Some of the number were stylishly dressed, as though they were to attend a social function, and gaily displayed their apparent satisfaction in attracting public notice and likewise their confidence in final acquittal. Others of the party were serious and jabbered little.

The Chinamen were represented by Tom M. Hamilton, Fred and Russell Kingsbury, and Frank B. Tiley, assistant county attorney, handled the prosecution.

Constable Leslie Stegall and his two deputies, Joe Roberts and John Dixon, testified regarding the manner in which they crawled through the windows of the den, stood in a dark room and watched the Chinamen play their game, and then raided their sanctum. They produced some domino-like blocks and black and white beans with which they testified the Orientals were playing. They said money was stacked on the table. C. M. Fryer, who had been to China and claims to have learned the Chinese domino game, was called to the stand to tell the use of the spotted blocks and how they are used.

At the conclusion of the testimony Fred Kingsbury for the defense and Frank B. Tiley for the state, delivered arguments. The court then adjourned, Justice Ford announcing that the case would be concluded next Monday.

## Local News Notes

Lee Moriles, a Mexican, was taken in custody yesterday noon as he stepped from a Katy freight train in Waco. Moriles broke jail at Hillsboro and sought safety on the train, but his scheme to escape the authorities held good but a few hours. The brakeman of the train, learning that the Mexican was wanted, wired the Waco police and Mounted Patrolman Joe Cardale was waiting at the station when the freight pulled in. Moriles was lodged in the city jail to await the arrival of Hillsboro officers.

Fire of unknown origin in a vacant house at Taylor and Dallas streets, East Waco, last night caused damage to the extent of approximately \$50, both the East Waco and central fire departments responded to the alarm.

W. F. McClure, general freight agent of the Galveston, Houston and Henderson, was a visitor to Waco yesterday.

No. 2189.  
Report of the Condition of  
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
At Waco, in the state of Texas, at the  
close of business Sept. 4, 1912.

Resources	
Loans and discounts	\$2,332,858.22
Bills of exchange	111,998.41
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	300,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	1,500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	1,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	451,052.51
Due from state and private banks and bankers, trust companies and savings banks	130,131.77
Due from approved reserve agents	233,651.01
Checks and other cash items	2,356.63
Exchanges for clearing house	54,997.92
Notes of other National Banks	20,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,074.45
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$180,494.75
Legal-tender notes	\$2,535.00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	15,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,856,258.77</b>

Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in	\$600,000.00
Surplus fund	150,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	27,402.14
National Bank notes outstanding	300,000.00
Due to other National Banks	305,378.24
Due to state and private banks and bankers	162,721.41
Individual deposits subject to check	2,114,369.07
Demand certificates of deposit	8,518.29
Time certificates of deposit	58,261.17
Certified checks	3,902.50
Cashier's checks outstanding	25,805.95
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	100,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,856,258.77</b>

State of Texas,  
County of McLennan, ss:

I, Geo. S. McThee, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Geo. S. McTHEE, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
W. J. NEALE,  
R. G. DENNIS,  
TOM PADGITT,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of September, 1912.

E. B. BAKER, Notary Public.

## RECAPITULATION.

Resources	
Loans and Discounts	\$2,332,858.22
Bills of exchange (cotton)	111,998.41
Over-drafts—none	
U. S. bonds and premiums	301,500.00
Stocks, securities, etc.	1,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	37,627.59
Redemption fund	15,000.00
Cash and exchange	1,156,274.55
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,856,258.77</b>

Liabilities	
Capital	\$600,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	27,402.14
Circulation	300,000.00
Time certificates	100,000.00
Deposits	2,678,856.63
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,856,258.77</b>

## DEATH MAY BE PENALTY

DOUBTFUL IF BANDIT WILL LIVE TO FACE THE CHARGE.

Police Search for Other Robbers Believed Implicated in New York Express Holdup.

New Orleans, Sept. 6.—Howard E. Edwards, who held up the New York express of the Louisville & Nashville railroad Wednesday night, was charged today before United States Commissioner Brown with robbery of the mails.

Whether Edwards will live to face the charge or not is doubtful. He still lies in a critical condition in a local hospital, suffering from the fracture of the skull that Engineer Baer inflicted when he captured him.

The belief of the police that Edwards is addicted to the use of drugs is considered to have been substantiated today when an analysis of the contents of capsules on him showed the presence of opium.

The police are still searching for the bandits suspected of being his pals, but Inspector Reynolds admitted tonight that he may have been in the deal alone.

## REPUBLICANS FAR AHEAD.

They Control Next Governorship and Legislature in Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., Sept. 6.—With thirty-nine small towns still to decide on the representatives in the legislature, unrecorded in the vote cast on Tuesday or Wednesday, the 297 that had been reported up to noon today, together with the number of senators elected, showed a republican majority of eleven in the new legislature, or sufficient to elect Allen M. Fletcher, the party candidate for governor, on the first ballot. Returns from the 267 cities and towns divide the legislature as follows:

Senate—Republicans 25, democrats 3, progressives 2.  
House—Republicans 125, democrats 53, progressives 29.

## This is "Why" Prohibition Elections Are Called



The above represents the finished products of the saloon. Does this "help" business, Mr. Business Man?

(Adv.)

## BIG PARADE ANTI BOOST

AUSTIN AVENUE LINED BY HUNDREDS TO WITNESS CLOSING DEMONSTRATION.

## ENTHUSIASM IS RAMPANT

Torch Lights, Sparklers, Marching Men and Auto Parade Lend Much Interest.

One of the greatest parades ever held in Waco, in point of interest, attendance, participation and enthusiasm, was that last night of the Anti Local-Option committee, making the close of its campaign in the local-option fight. Stretching from the city hall at the head of Austin avenue, where it formed, west to Ninth street and around on Franklin street, the parade was marked by a blaze of light, myriads of sparklers and a bedlam of noise.

The firing of anvils on the north side of the city hall added to the celebration, and this feature was continued on the Franklin street lots for some minutes. Torches were supplied to 1000 persons and the line of marching men was brilliantly lighted. The sparklers that were lighted in the automobiles also added to the gaiety.

The feature most noticeable, however, was the genuine enthusiasm which affected the entire parade. Everyone had a feeling of expectancy and anticipation and this spread to the collected hundreds on the sidewalks. Austin avenue west from the city hall to Sixth street, was lined on either side with an admiring throng. All were interested in the proceedings and a big boost was given the anti's cause in the election today.

Heading the parade were Mounted Officers Carlisle, Sheppard, Costley and Jones. Immediately following was Alessandro's band, and then came C. C. Beckley, chief marshal, with a number of assistants. A 1000 followed 500 men marching and carrying torches. They were followed by the automobile parade, carrying several hundred persons.

Among the machines were those owned by Ed Forsgard, W. W. Cameron, two cars; I. Friedlander, Fred Wolfe, R. L. Copeland, O. E. Foster,

**H. & T. C. HOUSTON \$6.65 and Return**  
NATIONAL (COLORED) BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.  
Tickets on Sale Sept. 9 and 10. Limited Sept. 18.  
ATLANTA, GA., AND RETURN—Biennial Meeting Colored \$29.40  
Odd Fellows, Selling Sept. 7, 8, 9. Limited Sept. 22

## Personal Mention

Col. H. F. Underwood of Athens, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. W. W. Hair of Temple was in Waco last night.

Hon. W. P. Lane, state comptroller, was in the city last night.

W. H. Allen, prominent business man of Marlow, is registered at the State House.

C. E. Wynne of Fort Worth, division freight agent of the Frisco, spent yesterday in Waco.

W. H. Laffner, watch inspector of the Katy, was in the city yesterday from Hillsboro.

Ben Helm of Dallas, freight agent of the Chicago Great Western, spent yesterday in Waco.

T. J. Hawkins, president of the newly consolidated bank at Hillsboro, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Hon. W. L. Saye, a prominent citizen of Comanche, and one of the officials of the Continental Trust company of Waco, is in Waco on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel M. Oesterman of Dallas are in Waco on their honeymoon trip. Mr. Oesterman is connected with a large wholesale house at Dallas.

P. L. Downs Jr., accompanied by Mr. Scott, was a Waco visitor Friday, making the trip from Temple in an automobile. They are at the State House.

August electric, power and gas bills must be paid on or before the 10th in order to receive the discount.

TEXAS POWER AND LIGHT CO.,  
730 Austin Ave.

## SURVEY IS COMPLETED.

Lockhart, Tex., Sept. 6.—The committee to raise \$1500 for the preliminary survey of the Central Railway of Texas, which proposes building from Quanah to Rockport, completed its work here yesterday. L. E. Walker, the president, left at once for the coast. Fifty thousand dollars and company right of way were asked for and will be furnished. The road agrees to have passenger trains here July, 1914 or the money need not be paid.

Lassie Sees the Killing.  
The district attorney's office expressed satisfaction today in the discovery of a Salvation Army lassie who had rooms near the Hotel Metropole and was an eye witness to the murder of Rosenthal. It is said that she can identify several, if not all of the men involved in the shooting and will make a valuable state witness. Another witness, a member of the "Blue" club, has been traced to Troy, N. Y., and an assistant district attorney was detached thither last night.

They've imitated the name;  
They've imitated the appearance;  
They've imitated the advertising—

But they can't imitate the  
Deliciousness of

**Coca-Cola**

Refuse near Coca-Colas—whether near in name or in appearance. Protect yourself by asking for it by the full name and demanding the genuine.

Ask for and Demand Coca-Cola—  
Refuse Substitutes

THE COCA-COLA CO., Atlanta, Ga.

Scratch the Middle Line on the Ballot

(Adv.)



## For Sale—Real Estate.

150 ACRES A-1 black land, 9 miles north of Waco, 90 acres cultivation, level as a floor; good house, barn and outbuildings; good orchard, pasture, good well of water; on public road, 1-2 mile of good school, church, post-office, stores, and in good neighborhood. A bargain; easy terms. McDonald & Sebrin, 614 Amicable, Waco, Texas; new phone 1742.

BEAUTIFUL 5-room house on Columbus, terrace front, beautiful yard; lot 50x165; has all modern conveniences. Near car line; a bargain. McDonald & Sebrin, 614 Amicable, new phone 1742.

FOR SALE—Nice new bungalow of five rooms in north part. South front, very convenient, first-class neighborhood. Price \$2750. A little cash, balance on easy payments. Klein-Knebel & Craven, 7th floor Amicable building.

FOR SALE—A dandy little four-room bungalow on south front corner lot in north part, close to car, best neighborhood. Price for \$15 week only, \$1400. Terms \$250 cash, balance easy. Now get busy. Klein-Knebel & Craven, 704-705, Amicable building. Phone new 489, old 719.

FOR SALE—5 per cent money to buy or build homes, ten years' if desired to repay loans. Call 514 Amicable Bldg. for free particulars. L. A. Crawford, Agent.

75-FOOT—The best property on Colcord avenue. Beautifully located and terraced. At a very attractive price for quick sale. R. A. McKinney, 1302 Amicable building. Phone 1767.

FOR SALE—Modern up-to-date five-room bungalow, Herring Ave.; all conveniences, on car line. One of the prettiest little homes in Waco, New 606, Colman's Studio.

## To Exchange—Real Estate.

\$16,000 Waco rental property for cheap lands.

\$40,000 irrigated land for Central Texas income.

\$150,000 ranch for well located city property.

160 acres fine land near Buffalo for residence.

5 acres of fine truck land near city.

4 lots on Cumberland for home in Waco.

1 house and lot for automobile.

Elegant home 234 and Sanger for small place.

16 acre on interurban—will take half in Waco property.

4 vacant lots to trade for automobile.

\$1,500,000 Chicago hotel for Texas lands.

2 fine residences near Baylor for farm lands.

J. B. WOODY LAND & INVESTMENT COMPANY.

107 1-2 South Fifth St. Old phone.

## Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—At once, a horse for his feed. X. Y. Z., care of News.

WANTED—Ladies' gents and children's cast-off clothing, hats, caps, shoes, maiting, carpets and rugs. No rag. Mr. B. Sackett, 122 Franklin street.

FIELD'S FAMOUS \$18.00 SUITS.

WANTED—Clean rag. Mill Printing and Stationery Co.

## Lost, Strayed or Stolen.

LOST—One black steel photograph's tripod, wrapped in black cloth. Finder please return same to Ambold Sporting Goods Co. for reward.

STOLEN—From my garage, 525 N. Thirteenth St.; one new automobile casing; \$10 reward for arrest and conviction of guilty party or parties. Tom G. Dilworth. \* \* The Waco automobile club will pay \$10 additional reward for any information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the guilty party or parties. H. M. Baine, president.

LITTLE TONY'S SHOE SHOP—Old shoes made new. Little Tony has the best equipped shoe shop in Waco. First class work guaranteed; prices reasonable. 110 North Fifth, in rear of Powers-Kelly drug store.

Automobiles, Tires and Accessories.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One first-class 4-passenger auto, good as new. Apply to Elmer Barnett, 117 North Fifth street.

BICYCLES FOR RENT—Automobile, motorcycle and bicycle repair work a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Lippard Cycle Company, 616 Elm.

News Want Ads bring results.

Cleaning and Pressing.

YOU CAN get honest up-to-date clothes made in Waco at ready-to-wear prices. Home Industrial Tailors, 704 Austin Ave.

HAZELWOOD TAILOR SHOP, cleaning and pressing a specialty. We call for and deliver. Give us a trial. 111 S. Fifth St., old phone 1032, new phone 1033.

A News Want Ad may bring the opportunity you are looking for.

## For Rent—Rooms.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished south front room; bath and telephone privileges. References required. Call old phone 1246.

THREE desirable furnished rooms for rent. 1415 N. Fifth St., new phone 112V.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished south room to couple or gentlemen. Modern conveniences, close in. New phone 2251.

## Rooms and Board Wanted.

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonably close in. 389, old phone.

WANTED—By young couple, three nice rooms with bath; good neighborhood. Address P. O. Box No. 962.

## Rooms and Board.

ROOMS and board with modern conveniences within walking distance, 905 South Fourth.

FOR RENT—One or two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. Ring new phone 2499Y.

FOR RENT—One large front room. Cool, cheap. 225 North 5th street.

BOARD and room for two who are employed. Private home 604 N. 11th St. Old phone 2070, new 2701.

A LARGE room, suitable for two gentlemen, adjacent to bath, with board 627 S. Fourth St.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Nice, clean, airy rooms; hot and cold baths. 329 North 4th St. New phone 2931.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished front room. 812 Washington street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Also a nicely furnished front bed room. 511 North Eighth street. Mrs. T. T. Tankey.

## For Rent—Houses or Flats.

THREE-ROOM, mission interior finish; best built 3-room house in Waco; warm in winter, cool in summer; only \$9; white families only. Wenz, 110 South Ninth street.

FOR RENT—Stop paying rent. We lend money at 5 per cent interest to buy or build homes and give you ten years or any time less to pay off loan. Call for free information. L. A. Crawford, Agt. Empire Realty and Mortgage Co., 514 Amicable Bldg.

## For Sale—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter. Latest model, used four months; like new. \$75 gets this \$100 machine. Hall Cycle & Plating Co.

I AM now selling large dry post oak wood; new is the time to buy. Phone 1229W new, J. E. Parker.

WOOD FOR SALE—I will have two wagons hauling wood to town during the summer. (dry bottom wood), mixed round and split; each wagon will have 1 1-2 cords; will not deliver less than a load to any one; \$4 per cord. Place your order now and not wait for winter. Phone No. 993. J. T. Prim.

FOR SALE—30 H. P., 5-passenger touring car, in first-class condition, new mohair top, oversize, non-skid tires on rear wheels, all tires practically new. B. C. Nettles, 712 Austin street.

FIELD'S FAMOUS \$18.00 SUITS.

FOR SALE—The beautiful black mare, 4 years old, fine buggy animal, weighs 1050 pounds. One bay horse, 5 years old, good driver; guaranteed to be absolutely safe for ladies; weighs 1100 pounds. Old phone 1509; new phone 2460.

FOR SALE—White Orphingtons. I now offer stock and eggs at reduced price. W. C. Gilmore, old phone 1551.

## Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED AT ONCE—First-class coachman. Must come well recommended. Old phone 797. 2718 N. 18th.

WANTED—Two neat appearing young men to work on trains. Good pay. Apply Union News Co., Katy depot.

WANTED AT ONCE—Two experienced, sober, steady newspaper solicitors for road work. Must know the business, how to get agents, etc., and must be hustlers. To whom the place is permanent at a fair salary. Apply in person to E. R. Smith, at News office.

## Typewriters and Supplies.

WE CARRY parts for all makes of typewriters. Waco Typewriter Exchange, 107 1-2 South 5th street. If WE ARE the typewriter's "doctor," Waco Typewriter Exchange, 107 1-2 South Fifth street.

ATTEND TOBY'S BUSINESS COLLEGE. NONE BETTER. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

SUCCESS SHORTHAND, best in the world, at Hill's Business College. Easy terms.

HILL'S BUSINESS COLLEGE—Book-keeping course most practical and complete in south. Easy terms.

## News Want Ad Rates

1 Insertion	1c per word
3 Consecutive Insertions	2c " "
7 " " "	4c " "
10 " " "	5c " "
30 " " "	15 " "

Charges for professional and medical advertising will be in accordance with the above rates. No Ad taken for less than 25c, regardless of insertions. Want Ads will be taken over the phone with the understanding that they are to be paid for upon presentation of bill, which will be rendered shortly after first insertion.

## Special Notices

NOTICE—This is to notify the public that after Sept. 26th my office will be at 723 1-2 Washington St., near corner Eighth. Office hours 8 to 9:30 a. m., 3:30 to 5 p. m. A. B. Brandon, Business Agent Carpenters' Union 622. Office, old phone 998; residence old phone 956.

FOR SALE—Pears, pears, pears! Large preserving pears at the East Side orchard. Your last chance to preserve this season. Spiced pears at reduced prices. Three phones. C. Falkner & Son.

NOW is the time to order your new Fall Suit. Don't wait until the last minute! Follow the aggressive ones and come to the Hammond-Vawter Co. for your season's requirements. Hammond-Vawter Co., 614 Austin avenue.

MADAME JEANE makes everything in women's wear. Southwestern Telephone, 214 N. 9th street.

DON'T FORGET the New Exchange Hotel while in Waco. It is up-to-date. A. D. Adams, proprietor.

WE are making special deliveries of the finest keg beer, "ice cold," on short notice anywhere in the city. J. M. Freeman & Sons. Phone 89.

PERSONAL—Oxite is guaranteed to tighten loose teeth, make the gums firm and healthy. Price 50c, at all drug stores, or from Dr. Luzzel. New phone 997.

PHONE 694 if you have empty ice cream cans or buckets at your home. We will appreciate it. M. B. Ice Cream Co.

ST. CHARLES shining parlor and Cleaning and Pressing Club. Pressing suits, 35c, pressing pants 15c, cleaning and pressing suits \$1.50. All kinds of ladies' work. Shine with us—we do it for 5c. Harry, the Boot Black, & Co., 588 Austin St., telephone 1496.

WANTED—To sell you some of our mixed round and split bottom wood. Price, \$4.00 per cord. We also handle the best grade of Post Oak wood, McAlister, Spadig and Pennsylvania coal. Phone 87 for prices. Simmons Feed & Fuel Co.

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET—For a square deal and courteous treatment see T. A. Pundt; everything in the meat line. 422 Webster, new phone 125, old phone 173.

FOR PROMPT delivery of baggage and express, ring or see R. L. Jackson, at Cass' fruit stand, Sixth and Austin, new phone 882.

FOR first-class horsehoeing and buggy-repairing, see Mr. Layne, across from Rotan Grocery Co. Every courtesy is extended to patrons. L. E. Layne, 217 South 5th street.

COAL, OIL, JOHN repairs gas and gasoline stoves. New phone 264.

YOU will keep that pleasant smile if you have your auto painted at Pat F. Hopkins' shop on South Eighth. Phone 871.

BURNETT'S DYE WORKS—Successors to Acme Tailoring Company. Better work. Reasonable prices. New phone 1439, 115 North 5th street.

Live Stock and Vehicles.

THE APPEARANCE of your vehicle is the same as new when repaired and painted at Pat Hopkins' shop on South Eighth street. Both phones 871.

YOUR SHOEING is done right where the boss fits the shoes himself. Pat F. Hopkins, 115-117 119 South Eighth street. Both phones 871.

MONEY TO LOAN—5 per cent money to buy or build homes or pay off mortgages; easy monthly payments. L. A. Crawford, Agent, Empire Realty and Mortgage Co., 514 Amicable Bldg.

FARM and city loans promptly handled at lowest rates. Vendor's lien notes bought or extended. J. M. Milstead, agent, room 301 Amicable building.

FIELD'S FAMOUS \$18.00 SUITS.

## Fire Insurance.

W. H. DAVIS & CO. represent, among others, the following fire insurance companies: Aachen & Munich, assets \$8,846,987.09; St. Paul F. & M., assets \$8,457,889.33; New Hampshire, assets \$5,725,309.00. There is no better protection than a policy in one of these giant stock companies. 1296 Amicable Bldg.

## Business Chances.

J. H. CAMERON & CO., plumbers—who want your repair work. 720 Franklin, new phone 932.

R. E. D. ELECTRIC CO. wants your work. Satisfaction guaranteed. New phone 932. 720 Franklin St.

## Business Education.

A BUSINESS EDUCATION is necessary to every young man and woman. It is the foundation of a business career and the stepping-stone to permanent business success.

TOBY'S BUSINESS COLLEGE is abreast of the times and no institution in the United States offers better advantages, more advanced methods, such thorough discipline or a better-equipped or more commodious building. Bookkeeping, Banking, Short-hand, Grammar, Spelling, Business Letter Writing, Commercial Law, Adding Machine and Multigraph are thoroughly and practically taught. The opening of the Fall Term, DAY SESSIONS September 2nd, NIGHT SESSIONS September 9th. All those who enroll on or before that date will be entitled to a special discount. Write, please (both phones 906) or call. Catalogue free. Edward Tobey, president.

FAIL TERM—Toby's Business college, day sessions, begins Monday, September 2nd; night sessions, Monday, September 9th. Special discount to those who enroll on or before those dates. Rates moderate, terms easy. Phone 896, call or write.

## PRESIDENT OF PERU.

The newly elected president of Peru, it is said, owes his exalted position to a certain extent to the vigorous campaign work conducted all over the country by the Woman's Suffrage party. Guillermo Billinghurst was born in Africa of English parents. He received his education in Valparaiso and Buenos Aires. In 1868, when his family was practically ruined by the earthquake, he went to Iquique and devoted himself with much success to scientific research work. His political debut dates back to 1874, when he was elected secretary of Iquique province. In that year he published his book on "Municipal Legislation in Peru," which has become the standard book on all subjects all over Peru. In 1895 Senator Billinghurst was elected senator and vice president of the republic. In 1898 he was appointed minister plenipotentiary to Chile and prepared the Billinghurst-La Torre convention, establishing the status of Tacna and Arica, two conquered Peruvian provinces ceded to Chile, the most satisfactory treaty Peru has ever concluded with a former adversary in war. On his return to Peru he was elected mayor of Lima and gave a notable impetus to the municipal life of the capital. The first measures that were passed during his administration provided for the razing of the old hospital for contagious diseases and of Chinatown. Large avenues were opened through the congested parts of the city, trees were planted and the antiquated water works replaced by an up-to-date system of filters and reservoirs.

## TUBERCULAR COLONY NEEDS.

Estimate for Appropriation Filed With State Comptroller.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—The comptroller has received from Superintendent Bascom Lynn of the state tubercular colony at Carlsbad, the estimate of needs for the next two fiscal years, needs for which the Thirty-third legislature must care. He asks for \$68,785 the first year and \$88,562 the second year, indicating in his letter that he expects an increase in population the second year. This institution is already in operation, with sixty-two patients.

The largest item is the payroll for the institution and the commissioners, \$30,000 the first year and \$35,000 the second. Groceries are placed at \$16,600 the first year, \$24,000 the second; meat, \$2400 and \$2600; feed, \$4000 and \$4500; ice, \$3500 and \$4000. Other items are much smaller.

The legislature appropriated \$100,000 to establish this new state institution and \$40,000 for maintenance the first year.

## REPORTS COMING SLOW.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—Commissioner of Labor Statistics J. A. Starling reports that employees in this state are sending in to him very slowly the information requested of them in the employers' statistical blanks sent them some days back. These blanks ask for information as to the number of employees, their salary, etc. The employers of five or more persons are requested to report and their reports are tabulated and averaged in the department here when received.

Some five thousand blanks were sent out. Owing to delay in getting the data required, it may be necessary for the commissioner to take some other action. Under the law those failing to report are subject to fine.

## CALL ON BANKS ISSUED.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—The department of insurance and banking today issued a call upon all state banks to make a statement of their financial condition at the close of business September 4th. The call is made up on 759 state banks and state bank and trust companies. It includes more banks than has ever before been included in a call. The last was made June 14, when there were 709 financial institutions concerned.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

AN EXPENSIVE DROP.

Mr. Hiram Jones had just returned from a personally conducted tour of Europe.

"I suppose," commented a friend, "that when you were in England you did as the English do and dropped your hat."

"No," modestly responded the returned traveler, "I didn't. I did as the Americans do. I dropped my V's and X's."

Then he slowly meandered down to the bank to see if he couldn't get the mortgage extended. — September Lipincott's.

## ANTIS-SCRATCH MIDDLE LINE.

(Adv.)

## RECORDS OF THE FIRES

BOARD REPORTS REGARDING THOSE PREVENTABLE.

Itemized Statement Showing Causes of Many of Them—Classification of the Losses.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 6.—The state insurance board reports that out of 8,093 dwellings, apartment houses, boarding houses and private outhouse fires in this state, 6,701 were preventable, this being 82.2 per cent. Out of 9,600 fires in other classes except cotton gins and automobiles, 5,940, or 65 per cent were preventable. The report covers the period from Dec. 10, 1910, to the present date.

The greatest number of losses were from the following classes: Dwelling, owner, frame, 4,480; dwelling, tenant, frame, 2,879; dwelling, owner, brick, 136; dwelling, tenant, brick, 48; dwelling, owner or tenant, 75; total, 7,623. Mercantile buildings, brick, 2,107; contents of mercantile buildings, brick, 3,168; mercantile buildings and contents, frame, 1,405; mercantile total, 6,680.

Fires from special hazards and other classes are numbered at 3,698, making a total of 18,000 fires the board has accounted for.

The following are causes of fires in dwellings, apartment houses, boarding and private houses:

Cause	Number
Flues	1,359
Exposures	1,323
Conflagrations	123
Unknown	12,384
Stoves and heating	893
Sparks on roof	421
Kerosene lamps	232
Curtains—gas	283
Electric wiring	231
Ashes, candles, carelessness	317
Parlor matches	280
Gasoline and Volatiles	253
Kerosene stoves	123
Incendiary	227
Fireworks	35
Lighting	262
Burning grass and rubbish	84
Spontaneous combustion	45
Electrical appliances	57
Incubators and breeders	4

The following are the causes of fires in all other classes, except cotton gins and automobiles (which classes burn from inherent hazards):

Cause	Number
Exposures	2,719
Conflagrations	574
Unknown	2,436
Incendiary	383
Cigars and cigarettes	254
Stoves and heating	256
Flues	274
Electric wiring	405
Gasoline and volatiles	283
Kerosene	91
Fireworks	26
Sparks on roof	133
Spontaneous combustion	208
Parlor matches	218
Curtains, gas	93
Lights (miscellaneous)	110
Burning grass and rubbish	40
Rubbish	124
Ashes and coals	27
Electric appliances	109
Lighting	123
Machinery	191
Boilers	45
Shed pits, shaving vaults	37
Fuel oil	6
Dry kilns	15
Cotton fires	518
Dust explosions	2

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TO BEGIN HERE MONDAY WANTS THE WORLD TO KNOW ABOUT IT

DR. ABBOTT WILL START CAMPAIGN IN THIS CITY.

Says There Is No Reason Ginners Should Put Dirt in the Cotton Seed.

Dr. J. S. Abbott, state pure food commissioner, now in Waco, believes that great good will result from his recent ruling, holding it illegal for ginners to take dirt out of cotton and dump it into the seed.

"There is no reason, no excuse for taking dirt out of the material for making clothes and putting it into the seed from which we make food products," declared Dr. Abbott yesterday. "I figure that 100 to 200 pounds of dirt is permitted to get into every ton of cottonseed. This not only is a detriment to the food made of the seed, but it augments the ginners' revenue at the expense of the purchaser of the seed. The buyer ought not to have to pay for hundreds of pounds of dirt."

Dr. Abbott designates as a boomerang the protest of the ginners that they will have to purchase more machinery in order to keep the dirt out of the seed, and that ruling, therefore, is given in favor of the machinery men.

"There is nothing to such argument," added the commissioner. "They will not have to purchase extra machinery. All that is necessary to keep the dirt from the seed is the exercise of more care."

Ginners violating this phase of the pure food law will be prosecuted to the limit, Dr. Abbott says, and upon conviction will be fined \$25 to \$200. Dr. Abbott will begin next week, investigating the hotel and restaurant conditions in Waco. He warns the proprietors that they must have clean kitchens and healthy cooks and waiters in order to escape prosecution.

FIX HOT WELL CONTRACT

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE PROPOSES CHANGE IN THE PROVISION.

Commission Agrees to It and Work Is Now to Proceed—Not a Speculation.

The city commission yesterday amended the hot well contract to meet the desires of the committee representing the citizens, and it is approved now and the mayor has been authorized to execute it.

D. E. Hirschfeld, Peyton Randle and Bart Moore, accompanied by Attorney E. C. Street, came before the commission and asked that the contract be amended so that it will be effective if the test of the well results in securing water of a temperature of 120 degrees Fahrenheit at the top of the well, or water of the temperature of 112 degrees, with strong medicinal properties.

Commissioner Littlefield—"If you get hotter water you are willing to have the contract stand."

Commissioner Caulfield—"It will be a big thing for the city."

Mr. Hirschfeld—"We put it at 120 degrees because we think that is hot water. If we get a white sulphur water of less temperature, we will be satisfied because the primary object is for the benefit of the whole city and for the general good. We are not speculators. This is not to make money for individuals. There is not a man interested in this but will pull out of it at a fifty per cent loss."

Commissioner Wright moved that they be allowed two lots instead of seven. This motion was snuffed and Commissioner Caulfield moved that the contract as proposed by the committee be executed. The motion was adopted, the Mayor and Commissioners Caulfield and Littlefield voting for it and Commissioner Wright voting no.

HOT WELL MEETING MONDAY.

For the purpose of taking out a charter and signing up the hot well contract, the stockholders in the proposed organization and the committee having the matter in charge will meet at 10 o'clock Monday morning in the rooms of the Real Estate Exchange. This meeting was called yesterday by Sam Sanger, chairman of the hot well committee, who urges a full attendance.

A letter yesterday from H. G. Johnston of Corsicana, the contractor for the hot well, to D. E. Hirschfeld, stated that the machinery was ready to ship to Waco the moment the contract is signed. Those promoting the well proposition hope to have work well under way by the first of October.

TO OPEN OFFICE IN DENISON.

C. H. Miller, chief master at arms and recruiting officer at the Waco office for the United States Navy, received orders from Dallas headquarters to proceed to Denison to open an office of which he will be in charge. A. G. Brower, quarter master of the first class, who has been assisting Mr. Miller in the local work, will handle the recruiting station alone.

TO BRACE FRONT WALL.

At the meeting of the city commission yesterday morning the Talley Construction company was given permission to puncture the paving of Austin avenue in order to brace the front wall of the Gay building, while putting in the new party wall between that building and the W. B. Morrison building being erected by the Amicable company.

MR. J. S. TULLOCH, OLD-TIME BELTON CITIZEN, TELLS OF THE USE OF PLANT JUICE.

"I wish I could tell all the people in the world who suffer as I did about Plant Juice," said Mrs. J. S. Tulloch, a well-known Belton citizen, who has lived in Belton for more than forty years. "For many years I have suffered with stomach, liver and kidney trouble, and my condition has unfitted me for work for the last four years. I felt better from the day I began taking Plant Juice. It has done me great good and is truly a wonderful preparation. My appetite is better than for a long time, I sleep well and am no longer nervous."

For the restoration of nerve force, for the relief and cure of stomach, liver and kidney ailments, Plant Juice is without a peer. It clears the liver and eradicates every vestige of biliousness, relieves indigestion, dissolves uric acid in the blood and thereby relieves rheumatism in an incredibly short time. Get a bottle at the Old Corner Drug Store and try it.

CAN BUILD A BRIDGE

RIGHT GRANTED STRICKLAND INTERESTS BY GOVERNMENT.

Franchise at West—Work on Bridge Here Is to Commence in Ten Days.

The War Department has granted the Southern Traction Company the right to construct a bridge across the Brazos at this point, and work is to commence within ten days.

President J. F. Strickland of Dallas, accompanied by General Attorney T. B. Williams, spent yesterday at the State House. They had been to West the night before where a franchise for the light and power company in that city for a period of fifty years had been granted. They came to Waco, and yesterday Mr. Strickland made the announcement that the work on the bridge is to commence at once.

Asked when the car tracks over North Fifth street would be relaid so the paving contractors can go to work, President Strickland said that he had given general instructions that the work be done and the car line forces be kept far enough ahead of the paving workers, so as not to delay the improvement of the street.

Mr. Strickland was not prepared to say when work on the power plant is to commence, but he did state that the company is under bond to complete the plant within a certain length of time and that the contract would be complied with.

Mr. Strickland was shown the following telegram, which was sent out yesterday by the Associated Press: "Fort Worth Tex., Sept. 6.—The Fort Worth Power and Light Company closed a contract this afternoon to supply the electric light and power for all the towns between Ft. Worth and Waxahachie and Fort Worth and Waco."

He said that the real situation is just as explained in the Waco Morning News yesterday; that heavy transmission lines are being constructed out of Fort Worth to all points south where the Texas Power and Light Company has service; that these transmission lines are to carry the energy for much of the power and light service until the Central power plant at Waco is completed and that after the Waco plant is completed these transmission lines would be in reserve against any accident that might cause a shut down of any plant of the company. The Fort Worth Power and Light Company property is owned by a local company at Fort Worth, but the relations between that company and the Strickland properties are very friendly, and an interchange of service is made possible by the friendly intentions.

Mr. Strickland and General Attorney Williams returned to Dallas in the afternoon.

COUNTY SCHOOLS TO OPEN.

McLennan county teachers, who have been attending the institute, which concluded its sessions yesterday afternoon, will today leave for their homes to prepare for opening their 1911-1912 term. Monday morning the schools at Moody, McGregor, West and Mart will open. All the others in the county will be in full swing by October 15, according to County Superintendent Abbott.

Mr. Abbott expects a big attendance in the schools. The choleraic population of the county outside of Waco is 12,488.

CORRECTION.

In the Business Men's Appeal, as published in the Waco Morning News of Friday, Sept. 6, 1912, the signature of the Waco Drug Co., appears. Such signature was accidentally added to that appeal, and was without the consent of the Waco Drug Co. I ask its pardon for permitting such a mistake to occur.

FELIX H. ROBERTSON, Chairman Anti-Local Option Committee.

(Adv.)

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A News Want Ad may bring the opportunity you are looking for.

LIGHTS FOR THE PARK FOR PURE MILK CAMPAIGN

COMMISSION AFTER STRICKLAND INTERESTS FOR THE SERVICE.

Had Mr. Ross and Mr. Rathell Before Them, and the Legal Department Also.

Mayor Mackey and the city commission had before them yesterday morning H. B. Ross, acting superintendent of the Southern Traction company; W. S. Rathell, general manager of the Texas Power and Light company; Allan D. Sandford, attorney for the Strickland interests, and each of the four was quizzed regarding the matter of lighting in Cameron park.

The commission started in with Mr. Ross, and about the time he had slipped from under and was making a graceful exit, Mr. Rathell "looked in" casually, and he was drawn before the body in business session and then later Mr. Sandford and Mr. Williams came on "to be heard," bearing the gift of a city park—deed and all—and the city accepted the deed and then asked for the lights as laguappe.

Mr. Ross was summoned by the commission officially. When he came in, Mayor Mackey said: "Mr. Ross, when can we expect the new cars here?"

Mr. Ross—"I may be able to tell you in a couple of days."

Mayor Mackey—"Well, the company has promised us these cars and promised them, and the people are becoming anxious. They were to be here May 1, and then September 1."

Mr. Ross—"We have gone so far as to arrange for the unloading of them."

Lights in the Park.

Mayor Mackey—"There is another matter about which we want to talk with you—that is the lighting of Cameron park. Mr. Head agreed with the commission that the gas company and the Waco Street railway company would go in together and light the park."

Mr. Ross—"I don't know about it. Nothing has been said about the matter since I took charge, and the companies are separate now."

Mayor Mackey—"The same people own the two and I understand that the companies have put that expense in the budget for the year. There is a necessity for it and it means big business for your company."

At the request of Mayor Mackey, Mr. Ross said he would take the matter up by correspondence at once.

Mr. Rathell Comes Also.

Mr. Rathell was the next to come before the commission. Mayor Mackey said: "Mr. Rathell, we want you to write a letter to your people to let us know about the lighting of Cameron park. Mr. Head promised it and it is like promising a child a stick of candy. We want it."

Mr. Rathell—"I don't know how far Mr. Head had authority."

Commissioner Wright—"Mr. Stickler also promised and Mr. Strickland said that whatever Mr. Stickler and Mr. Head promised to do, he would back it up."

Mr. Rathell—"Our people say they are ready to make a 'liberal' arrangement, and I have agreed to meet the park commissioners any day between 11 and 12 o'clock to discuss it."

Mayor Mackey—"We are figuring on doing something towards lighting the park, and Mr. Head came in and said it would be a good business proposition and the company would do it."

Mr. Rathell—"Well, Mr. Mayor will you dictate a letter to me setting forth those facts and stating your proposition. We are working for different people and Mr. Head is with different people."

Mayor Mackey—"We would rather this would some in open commission meeting and we want you to take the matter up on the suggestion from us. We have outlined it to you here. The company was under no obligations to make the promise, but it did make it, and we want it carried out."

Mr. Rathell—"If the promise was made the company ought to fulfill it."

Soon after Mr. Rathell made his escape, Attorney Allan D. Sandford and general attorney came into the chamber, bearing a gift of Warburton Park to the city. While they were transferring the right and title to the park to the city, they learned incidentally that the mayor and commissioners had been on looking for lights for Cameron Park, and having presented their park, they turned to leave. Mayor Mackey said: "Now, Mr. Sandford—"

Mr. Sandford—"Mr. Williams and I have an engagement. I have already heard what you are going to talk about."

Mr. T. B. Williams—"We are strictly in the legal department. The matter you have in mind, sir, is a question for the operating department."

Mayor Mackey—"The companies promise to light the park and accepting the good faith of the promises we have taken no steps to do so ourselves. We want you to urge them to do something. We have had Mr. Rathell and Mr. Ross before us and we are glad of an opportunity to tell you and Mr. Williams what we think of it."

Mr. Sandford—"You want us to light Cameron Park."

Commissioner Wright—"We want you to comply with your promise. My idea is that the gas company is trying to make the street car company pay for it and the street car company is trying to make the gas company pay for it. They are trying to saddle it on each other."

General Attorney Williams—"We will take it up and if they made that promise they ought to carry it out."

At this juncture the matter was dropped.

CITY CHEMIST IS INSTRUCTED TO ENFORCE THE LAW.

Will Get Dr. Abbott to Assist and City Attorney Will Prosecute the Complaints.

City Chemist Hoke has instruction from the city commission to proceed against all dairymen who do not comply with the laws regarding inspection and license, and he is authorized to ask the assistance of Dr. Abbott, the state pure food inspector, and to invoke the official professional service of City Attorney L. T. Williams.

Dr. Hoke came before the commission yesterday morning and called attention to the fact that some of the dairymen have not complied with the law and that they have been defiant in the matter and state that they propose to contest in the courts the right of the city to require the test. He said there were one or two who had shown a willingness to have the test made, and he had granted them time in which to do it, but others were making a fight.

Mayor Mackey—"I think the city ought to publish the names of the dairymen who have complied with the law."

Commissioner Wright—"I don't think so."

Dr. Hoke—"There is one whose premises I inspected who did not clean up as I thought he should. Then he asked me if he could put ice in the milk sash as to keep it cool. I told him he could not. He said he would advertise that he had put ice in it. I told him no."

Commissioner Wright—"Could you not give him a better plan to ice his milk without putting the ice in it?"

Dr. Hoke—"I did suggest it, and told him that ice in the milk was an adulterant."

Commissioner Littlefield—"Yes, but if he don't put the ice in it, he don't make more milk."

Mayor Mackey—"I think it is up to Dr. Hoke to enforce the law, and we will stay with him on it."

Commissioner Wright—"We will back him up."

Dr. Hoke—"Dr. Abbott is here and I will cooperate with him."

Commissioner Wright—"If a man show an indication to comply with the law and needs more time, give it to him. If he is defiant don't give him a minute."

Mayor Mackey—"Commissioner Wright's suggestion is the keynote. Put the law to them."

City Attorney Williams said: "We ought to try a few of them who won't comply with the law."

Mayor Mackey—"We have a few who are defiant and they cannot stand the publicity of this prosecution."

City Attorney Williams—"Let the chemist file his complaint, and we can try out the law. If we have no law, we ought to find it out."

NICKELS WORTH OF ICE

YOUNG MAN IS ON TRIAL FOR THEFT IN COUNTY COURT.

Lawyers Contending on Both Sides. Negro's Breach of Trust Is Involved—Jury Still Out.

Charged with stealing a nickel's worth of ice from the Cotton Belt railroad, Harry Schneider, a news butcher, faced trial in county court yesterday afternoon. The defendant was represented by J. P. Alexander, the prosecution by John McNamara, assistant county attorney and Walton Taylor, and the lawyers fought the case as hard as though a thousand times the price of the ice had been involved. A decision will be rendered today by the jurors, who were unable to agree yesterday.

The state contended that the defendant had a negro get the chunk of ice, where the railroad company had left it at the depot. The defense claimed that Schneider had the negro employed regularly to help him load and unload his stuff and to get ice for him each day. The defense argued that the news butcher paid the negro for the ice, and that he was not to blame if the negro stole the chunk instead of buying it.

Schneider has been in jail for the past 10 days. During that time his attorney has made every effort to find the negro who had been in the employ of the defendant, according to the lawyer's statement in the case yesterday.

The trail consumed all of the afternoon and attracted many interested spectators. Nine witnesses testified. The case went to the jury at 6:30, and after a conference of thirty minutes, the foreman announced that more time would be required, whereupon the judge excused the jurors until 9 o'clock this morning.

For Theft of Bacon.

Yesterday morning in district court was consumed with the trial of Jake Brown, a negro, charged with the theft of a side of bacon valued at \$5. The negro was found guilty by a jury and his punishment assessed at six months in jail.

SUIT ON A NOTE.

The Waco Brick company filed suit in district court yesterday against L. E. Grim et al. The suit involves a promissory note of \$600.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Austin Pinnell and Miss Hatlie Harris.

News Want Ads bring results.

First Showing of Men's and Young Men's New Fall Clothing Styles Today

It is with pleasure that we direct your attention for tomorrow to the first showing of the New Fall Styles in Men's and Young Men's Clothing. And we invite your critical inspection, whether you are ready to buy or not.



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Our showing of New Fall Hats is complete—the Knox, the Roxton, the Kenwick and the Stetson—makes that have won on their merits the title "The best hat values obtainable at their respective prices." New in lines and colorings and textures, but made in that good, old-fashioned way of hat making that has no equal. We want you to see them—to try on the various shapes and the different proportions.

THE DERBY FOR FALL—Among the snappy new Derby styles that have attained the stamp of approval from the best dressers are the low crown with the wide brim, while the high crown and narrower brims are favorites with the more conservative dressers. Prices range \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

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COLORED TEACHER QUILTS

W. S. WILLIS, WHO WAS ENGAGED FOR MATH. AND HISTORY.

Position Will Be Filled at the Meeting Monday—Schools Will Open in Fine Shape.

W. S. Willis, teacher in the Waco colored high schools, elected to serve during the approaching scholastic year has resigned from the position. A successor will be named at a meeting of the board to be held probably Monday.

Willis has been employed in departmental work in the colored high school, doing principally mathematics and history. Outside business in connection with a position as secretary-treasurer of a secret organization will claim the man's entire time.

Just who will be selected to succeed Willis, Superintendent J. C. Lettmore was unable to say last night.

"The matter of a successor to Willis will be taken up at the Monday meeting of the school board," he said. "At that time if the applicants prove suitable we hope to make a selection. Willis, however, has promised to remain with the school until a successor is secured, in the event any difficulty is had in finding a capable teacher."

The Monday meeting of the school board will probably be the last to be held prior to the opening of the regular city schools. The opening is fixed for September 16th, one week from Monday.

Matters are rapidly shaping themselves so that every detail will have been attended to to make the opening date all that it should be. During the past few weeks the board and the teachers, headed by the superintendent

ent have been busy preparing for the 1912-13 scholastic year, so soon to begin. This preparation among other things has been to provide more spacious and comfortable quarters for the students, additions to several of the buildings having been made.

LANDMARK IS BURNED.

Fire Destroys a Former Residence on Mary Street.

One of the landmarks of the city was removed last night when fire destroyed the frame building on Mary street, between Fifth and Sixth, which was formerly used as a residence but which has recently been a warehouse.

Forty years ago, or thereabouts, this house was constructed as a residence. It was at that time a modest home facing south on Mary street, built long ways to the front, and there was a porch, with ballustrades about it. One of the best known citizens of that day—Mr. Roserick—occupied it as a home. It is not recalled whether he was the first to occupy the house. Mr. Roserick was the proprietor of a flour mill which was located at the corner of Fourth and Mary streets, where the Natatorium now stands.

This former residence has lately been used by the Waco Drug Company in which to store excelsior. Their loss is about \$100.

PROHIBITION PARADE

Let everybody with ANY SORT of vehicle be at Austin Avenue Methodist church at 8 o'clock this morning. There will be ample conveyance for all those who haven't vehicles of their own.

**COME! Bring Your White Flag and Show Your Colors**

(Adv.)

Don't Build Up Dallas, Fort Worth and Temple Business Houses Adv.